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FOR OHIO—Local snows tonight; Thursday partly cloudy; little change in temperature.

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GERMANY ATTEMPTS TO CONQUER RUSSIA THRU COMMERCIAL CHANNELS

Control of Vast Resources of Russia is Sought by the Huns Through Consular Agents—Need Is Manifested For Studied Reply by The Allies to German Peace Move.

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—Germany is working hard to effect commercial domination of Russia at the earliest possible moment and before Russia can get on her old time terms again with nations that were once her allies in the field. This "Economic pentration" of Russia began when the armistice was signed on the eastern front and since then a swarm of agents have been sent into all parts of the republic to carry out German commercial propaganda.

One of the points taken up at the Brest Litovsk conference was that commercial relations between the two countries should be resumed at once and that consuls should be exchanged. It is assumed that Germany intends largely to increase her corsular staff in Russia as the Teutonic government uses its consuls mainly as business agents.

Diplomats who have studied the peace situation pointed out here today that Germany would benefit more greatly by securing control of the vast resources of Russia than by trying to keep the territory that her armies have overrun.

At the same time the German peace envoys are encouraging the partition of Russia into a number of small independent states so that these can be played against each other in the big game the central empires have undertaken.

The belief that the entente powers will reply to the German peace offer was strengthened by fresh developments. The parliamentary correspondent of the Chronicle, who is usually well informed on government matters stated that the offer to make peace on the basis of "No annexation nor indemnities," is a serious move and that the allies must return a studied reply in order to satisfy the public.

Any reply that is made will not be forwarded until all the allied governments are consulted. Thus it will represent the views of the U. S. as well as the warring powers in Europe.

AMERICANS MUST STAY AT HOME; RAILROADS TO TRANSPORT MUNITIONS

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2.—A good part of the American people will have to stay at home in 1918. In order to release railroads for hauling ammunition and food train, McAdoo intends to curtail passenger facilities. Hundreds of passenger trains now operating in the U. S. will be discontinued entirely. Mr. McAdoo expects this action to result in reduction of passenger travel. "Travel will become so uncomfortable because of a lack of facilities that only those who must travel will do so," he said in explanation of his program.

After the outbreak of the war in Europe the government raised passenger fairs 50 percent. Reports received by Mr. McAdoo indicate that this measure did not have the desired effect It prevented the poor man from traveling even on important business because of the prohibitive rates. The rich man traveled anyway. The result was that the business of the country was injured. At first this curtailment of passenger facilities is expected to drive a good many people to make long distance auto trips. This may soon be stopped, however, as the government hardly will permit the consumation of gasoline for the travel by auto when it considers that travel unnecessary by rail. Increased long distance auto travel also will increase gasoline consumption to such an extent that the price will soon become prohibitive unless some step is taken to prevent it, in the opinion of officials.

House Shows How War Can Be Won Soon

WASHINGTON, JAN 2—The U. S. in effect made reply to the latest German peace program this afternoon. Secretary of State Lansing made public a summary of the report of Col E. M. House and the American War Mission, which has just returned from Europe.

The report showed no indication of any weakening in the determination to win the war. It indicated that the war will be won by the allies and showed how it can be

Three very important recommendations featured the report of Col. House as made public by Mr. Lansing. They were:

That the fighting forces of the U. S be dispatched to Europe with the last possible delay incident to maintaining and equipment That U S exert all of its influence to secure entire unity of effort—military, naval and economic—between America and the countries associated with it in the war

That inasmuch as the successful termination of the war by the U. S and the allies can be greatly hastened by the extension of the U. S. shipping program, that the government and people of the U S bend every effort towards accomplishing this result by a systematic co-ordination of men and materials.

The report summarizes at length all of the work of the mission.

750 Draftees Off To Coast, France Bound

(International News Service)

CAMP SHERMAN, O. JAN. 2.—Lieut. A. R. Wachs, of Cleveland, was placed in charge today of the special train which will convey 750 men from this cantonment to a port of embarkation to join Gen. Pershing's command

The names of the men have not yet been made public.

Reed Marshall Transferred

Reed Marshall, son of Dr. and Mrs F. M. Marshall, of Main street, who recently enlisted in the aviation department, has been transferred from San Antonio, Tex., to Waco, Tex His address is A S S C Squadron, 2nd Prov Regiment, Camp McArthur, Waco, Tex

BIRTH NOTES

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs John Sheneman, of Canton, Monday at the home of Mrs. Sheneman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bess, at Pleasant Hill.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs Harry Kaser, of the Warsaw vicinity, Monday.

EISENMAN TESTIFIES IN PROBE

National Defense Council Official Passes Buck to War Department.

SAYS EQUIPMENT SHORTAGE NATURAL

Supply Committee Was Not Informed of Requirements, He Declares.

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2.—Determined to get the truth about scandals in army contracts, the senate military affairs committee today placed Charles Eisenman, vice chairman of the supply committee of National Defense Council on the stand to tell about the purchase of clothing and equipment for the war department. Mr. Eisenman stated he had charge of purchases aggregating $860,000,000. He insisted that every thing humanly possible had been done to get supplies. The committee went after him to learn who was responsible for clothing and equipment shortages, which it is believed caused hundreds of deaths among recruits in the training camps.

"Why is it that in a country of such vast resources and production we have been unable to equip 1,300,000 men with clothing, overcoats and shoes?" demanded Senator Hitchcock.

"There is no shoe shortage," answered Eisenman

"Perhaps not—but they don't fit the soldiers feet," said Hitchcock.

"Well, when more men have been called out than you have been asked to provide for something is bound to happen and something did happen," said Mr. Eisenman. "If we had known last May that we would have been compelled to equip a certain number of men we would have done it"

"When did you learn how many men we would have to equip?" asked Hitchcock.

Mr. Eisenman said he had never been informed of the number he would have to supply

Senator Felinghyusen of New Jersey, questioned the witness sharply about the reduction of wool content in uniforms and overcoats. The reduction resulted in sending American troops into the trenches with clothing 27 percent inferior to the British and French uniforms.

Mobley Heads Tp-Trustees

The township board of trustees met Tuesday for the purpose of organizing. Benjamin Mobley, newly elected member, was chosen president, and Fred Tish, alos a new member on the board, vice president A. J. Ogle was elected president of the board of health. Other than this no business was transacted.

Frank Wisenburg, newly elected township clerk, and James McCormick, the new treasurer, assumed their new duties Tuesday.

CLEVELAND—Just as the post office force was getting the Xmas accumulation of mail cleared away, the new year's rush of calendars set them to working nights again.

STATE COAL OFFICIALS TAKE COUNT

Fuel Administration Snowed Under While Complaints Pile Up.

ASSISTANT MAYER TAKES HIS BED

Ohio Factories Employing 200,000 Men Closed Down Indefinitely.

(International News Service)

COLUMBUS, JAN. 2.—"Get busy with your retail dealer."

This was the invariable reply made today to the hundreds of appeals for coal which swamped the office of the Ohio branch of the National fuel administration here.

C. F. Mayer, assistant to Homer Johnson, state fuel administrator who has charge of emergency coal distributions is confined to his home by illness due to overwork. Other officials in Johnson's office frankly admitted their inability to divert "a single pound of coal" for emergency relief They were prompt to state that they were unable to handle the transportation end of the work.

For ten days, Ohio utilities, including plants working on government orders and employing 200,000 men, have been shut down in order that coal may go to domestic consumers. Johnson's assistants were unable to say how long this condition will continue.

Persons asking for coal were told to "keep hammering" at their retail dealers, who in turn, call upon their jobbers or mine operators for fuel. In view of the fact that all coal being mined and moved in Ohio now is for domestic consumption, officials in Johnsons office expressed the hope that fuel conditions will improve soon.

All persons receiving freight shipments were urged by Fuel Administration officials to unload their freight within 4 hours after the cars are placed on sidings and thus aid in the movement of empties to coal mines

Graham Slays 86 Dogs From 101 Captured

During the year 1917, City Dog Catcher C. C Graham handled 101 dogs which were allowed to run loose by their owners Of this number 47 were female and 54 male animals Only fifteen of this number were redeemed by their owners, the others being executed by Mr. Graham

HORRORS ARE NOT ALL IN EUROPE

Mrs. J A. Evans, John street, stepped blithely into the kitchen of her home in the cold gray dawn Wednesday morning, bent on kindling the cookstove fire as usual.

The even tenor of her way was sadly disturbed when her unshod foot sank two inches into coal soot, avalanched from the kitchen chimney Mrs. Evans cleaned house Wednesday

Visions Of Poison In Sugar Stir Up Residents Of City

Considerable excitement was created over the city Wednesday morning by the rumor that a quantity of poisoned sugar had been sold from a grocery on South Seventh street and that several of the patrons of the grocery were suffering from poisoning after using some of the sugar

An explanation of the rumor was reached Wednesday noon however, when the proprietor stated that the last shipment of sugar which he received had been scented with some kind of perfume Whether the sugar was scented intentionally by the manufacturer or whether it had received a perfume bath on its way to the store in the city could not be learned Wednesday.

The rumor was started when Clarence Brown, of Elm street, a patron of the grocery called the retailer by telephone and told him that the sugar had made his wife very sick The retailer immediately investigated and found that a fume had been mixed with the sugar One other store, on lower Main street also received some of the perfumed product

The shipment consisting of 100 pounds has been disposed of, and it is not that that any trouble will arise over the matter as only the one complaint has been received so far

The fact that only two of the grocers received the perfumed sugar leads to the belief that it was placed in the sugar while enroute to this city.

Congress Faces Most Tremendous Duties In History Of Body

Price Fixing Legislation, Railroad Question, War Probe, Financial Tangles, and Necessary Remedial Measures Face Parliamentary Body Which Convenes Thursday

By ROBT. B. SMITH,
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2.—The holiday recess at an end, congress made ready today to take up America's extensive warfare problems in earnest. With the reconvening gavel scheduled to fall at noon tomorrow in both houses, senators and congressmen returning to their duties found themselves confronted with the most tremendous program ever laid before an American parliamentary body.

Standing foremost was the railroad question. President Wilson's expected message recommending legislation to complete the government's task in taking over the railroads was the topic of interest at the capitol. Steps have already been taken to insure prompt response to the president's recommendations, but sharp fighting over the guaranteeing of dividends appeared inevitable.

Price fixing legislation as urged by the president in his annual message was also thrust into the foreground of the legislative program.

The Pomerene bill, fixing prices of iron and steel and many of their products, will be pushed by its supporters with the aid of the administration. Other measures of a revolutionary character, reaching even further into the price fixing question are to be offered at an early date.

The congressional schedule arranged before the recess, calls for votes upon important measures almost immediately after reconvening. The house is under agreement to vote tomorrow on the measure authorizing the treasury to purchase $100,000,000

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ARTICLES ON THRIFT

(A series of articles on the general theme of THRIFT will be contributed by well known Coshoctonians to The Tribune and Times-Age and one will appear each day The primary object of these articles, of course, is to promote the sale of Thrift Stamps But they will be broader in scope than that. They will teach our people locally what the American people as a whole must learn, the value of providing for future contingencies and future needs, whether we are at war or enjoy the blessings of peace. We would suggest a general and careful reading of these articles—Editor's Note.)

THE THRIFT HABIT

By C. B. McCoy

It is distressing to be old and at the same time poor. Either alone is not seriously unfortunate, but it is the combination of the two that renders one helpless and hopeless.

It is not distressing to be poor when we are young and healthy. Neither is old age to be dreaded if one has accumulated a competency. This accumulation must be made during the younger years, when health and strength sustain the vigorous exercises of the brawn or brain or both, sufficiently to earn to the utmost of one's capacity It is during this period of life that one should not only "work and

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Death Claims Young Lady

Miss Helen Laughlin, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laughlin, of Nellie, died Tuesday night at 10 o'clock, following a short illness from diabetes. Miss Laughlin was taken ill only Monday morning, and the news of her sudden death is a shock to her many friends.

Miss Laughlin had one brother, Ward Laughlin, who was a member of Co I, and is now in Co. A, 136th Machine Gun Battalion, Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala. He had been notified of his sister's death, and the funeral arrangements will not be made until word has been received whether he can get a furlough to come home.

Miss Laughlin was a graduate of the Nellie High school in 1916, and in 1917 she graduated from the Warsaw High school For the three weeks preceding the Christmas vacation she taught school near Methan She was a member of the Mohawk M. E. church, and attended the Sunday school services there last Sunday. She possessed a lovely character, and her untimely death is deeply mourned by all who knew her

The parents and one brother are the only surviving immediate relatives.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION
And a Duty For All of 1918

The Authorized Government issue of War Saving Stamps for 1918 is $2,000,000,000, of this amount the quota for Coshocton county is $613,560 With a population of approximately $30,700, this means a saving of $20 for every man, woman and child in our county to be invested in War Saving Stamps

By saving and buying them you will be making one of the best and safest investments in the world Free from all taxes and paying you 4 percent interest compounded quarterly.

You will also be doing a patriotic duty by lending your savings to your government in its hour of need

May your New Year's Resolution be to save and buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps every week during 1918.

Your Postmaster, Banker, Rural Postman and most merchants can supply and tell you all about War Saving Stamps

HIGH ARMY OFFICIALS IN FRANCE ARE RECALLED TO AMERICA FOR LIGHT WORK

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2—Major Gen. Wm. A. Mann, first commander of the rainbow division of the National Guard, was today ordered to assume command of the eastern department with headquarters at Governor's Island, New York City, succeeding Gen. Eli D. Hoyle.

Major Wm. L. Sibert, who commanded the first division of Gen. Pershing's army, will be named within the next day or so as commander of the Southwestern department with headquarters at Charleston, S C, succeeding Maj. W. P. Duvall.

Generals Mann and Sibert reached New York from France yesterday. It is understood they were found unfitted physically for the strenuous work required in the trenches in France.

Gen. Mann, who was in the city today, spoke in the highest praise of the rainbow division, made up of selected units of the N. G. from a majority of the states. He declared they are already far advanced in their training. Altho there was much sickness on first landing in France, the health of the division now is satisfactory, he said, and the men are very anxious to get their turn in the trenches.

It is understood that Maj. Gen. Chas. P. Mencher will succeed Gen. Mann in command of the Rainbow division.

Prosecution Of Trusts Is Postponed

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2.—Attorney General Gregory today moved for postponement in court for its present term of 7 anti-trust cases now on its calendar The motion will be renewed from time to time, it is expected, to the termination of the war.

The cases pending before the court are against the International Harvester Co., the United Shoe Machinery Co., The Quaker Oats Co., The U. S Steel Corporation, The Eastman Kodak Co., The American Can Co., and The Corn Products Refining Co.

This action by the department of justice has been anticipated since the government decided to back the bill introduced at its request in congress which legalized overseas pooling of selling agents and trust plans in general

PETIT JURY SITS FEB. 4

The petit jury will not meet until February 4, 1918, was the announcement made by Clerk of Courts C. B. Wilhelm Wednesday. The court will be a little later this year because of the fact that the attorneys are busy helping fill out questionnaires for registrants and have no time to prepare their cases The grand jury meets January 7.

Teachers Aid In Spreading Thrift Germs

School teachers of America must assist in teaching the nation the lesson of economy, of self-denial and of saving to the point of self-sacrifice. They must help the way to this all-important task for the maintenance of "national strength, which will safeguard posterity and advance civilization" of-ster.

First step in reaching Ohio's million school children in promoting the sale of United States War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps has been undertaken by the Ohio War Savings Committee. In a letter addressed this week to every school superintendent in the state, information is carried that "our government is expecting big results in the thrift campaign from school children of the United States."

Help of the school superintendent is enlisted to bring the important War Savings Stamp lesson to every school teacher and pupil in the state. Accompanying the appeal to the superintendents are copies of pamphlets directed "To Young America," and "To the School Principals and Teachers of America" The former is signed by Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, and the latter by Frank A Vanderlip, chairman of the National War Savings Committee.

"The teachers form a mighty army which can start aright," Chairman Vanderlip says, "the movement among our children on which the success of our government depends."

LEGISLATURE'S ACTION ON DRY AMENDMENT IS NOT SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM

COLUMBUS, JAN. 2—Receipt by Gov. Cox from Robert Lansing, secretary of state at Washington, of a certified copy of the recent act of congress proposing a prohibition amendment to the federal constitution has revived interest in the question whether the Ohio legislature will be convened in special session.

The governor's office is non-committal.

When their attention was called to the fact that state employes are cleaning and arranging the furniture in the legislative chambers, as is customary just before a legislative session, officials in the governor's office replied: "That is purely voluntary on their part."

The document from Lansing is embellish with a wealth of red tape—literally, not figuratively, speaking.

Accompanying the copy of the act of congress is the following communication from Secretary of State Lansing to the governor:

"I have the honor to enclose a certified copy of a resolution of Congress, entitled, 'Joint Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States' with the request that you cause the same to be submitted to the legislature of your state for such action as may be had, and that a certified copy of such action be communicated to the Secretary of State."

Dry leaders here say that unless Gov. Cox transmits the resolution by special message to a special session it will not be acted upon until the next regular legislative session which convenes in January, 1919.

These dry leaders contended that if the legislature ratifies the proposed amendment that ends it. It is their contention that such legislative action can not be submitted to a referendum. If the legislature refused to ratify, it would come up at each regular legislative session for action within the next seven years.

OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up.

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more snuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little o fthis fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates thru every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflammed muccus membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed-up and miserable. Relief is sure.

NEVER IN THE WORLD COULD I BELIEVE IT.

This Lady Was Told by Many That Pepsinco Would Help Her, But She Just Would Not Believe it.

Mrs. G. wasn't sick, but she had the same trouble after every meal. Heavy load, pain, bloating and sourness. The condition would pass off in time, but she really dreaded her meals. She often read of Pepsinco, and often heard of it, but never gave it enough thought to stop at the drug store and get a package, until a druggist gave her a small sample.

Mrs. G. now recommends Pepsinco to everyone she meets who complains of feeling bad. Never has Pepsinco had as good a booster as this lady since she discovered how good it really is.

Pepsinco is made to help all bad conditions of the stomach. It never fails. It is sold and recommended by all druggists. Positively guaranteed.

YEAR 1917

A Good One for the Buckeye State Building and Loan Company, Rankin Building, 22 West Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio.

1. Growth in 1917 nearly $2,000,000.
2. Our assets now—$14,500,000.
3. Added to reserve fund—$50,000.
4. We own no real estate.
5. This fact speaks for conservatism more than words can express.
6. We greatly appreciate
7. The good words spoken of us by our friends and customers.
8. Five per cent on time deposits.

U. S. Troops Pursue Mex. Bandit Gang

NOGALES, ARIZ., JAN. 2—Three hundred U. S. soldiers from Hermosillo today are in pursuit of bandits who raided the three towns and held up a Southern Pacific de-Mexica train between Nogales and Cananea, Sonora. In anticipation of further raids rangers are mobilizing at Alpine.

Desperate for lack of food and supplies, it is declared, the bandits are massing across the border and planning other raids in this district.

In the pursuit of the bandits after the raids, more than 50 shots, according to reports received here, were fired. Casualties on the Mexican side, it is declared, were between 15 and 35. No Americans were wounded.

U. S. troops, it is reported, suffered much from exposure because of inadequate clothing. Several soldiers are in a hospital.

PRIVATE STOLE TO BUY BRIDE MEDICAL AID

(International News Service)

CAMP SHERMAN, O., JAN. 2.—Mrs. Charles R. Brooker was ill. The doctor wrote out a prescription, and when Private Charles R. Brooker, 308th field signal battalion, explained that his $30, due on the fifth of December, hadn't been doled out, even tho it was the 15th, the physician said he would wait.

It was different at the drug store where Private Brooker went to have the prescription filled. "In God we trust; all others pay cash," a sign on the wall read. And Mrs. Brooker just had to have the medicine.

Private Brooker tried to borrow from his bunkmates, but they were "broke." So he wired home for money.

"Will be down in a few days and bring the money," Father Brooker wired back. But that would not do, so—

Private Brooker "appropriated" a fountain pen and sold it, it is charged, with the 75 cents thus obtained he bought medicine for his wife, and that is why Private Brooker faced the 166th brigade military court today, charged with violating an article of war.

Private Brooker didn't deny taking the pen.

The physician told of his examination of Mrs. Brooker, and his decision. He admitted the young bride's condition had been serious.

The impulse of every officer on the court—13 of them—was to dig down into his pocket and contribute money for more medicine. But this is wartime, and discipline is discipline.

Some slight infraction of an article of war when the boys reach France might result in the annihilation of a division.

The case is closed. The die has been cast. The decision may come any day..

HANDSOME GIFT

LONDON, JAN. 2.—The Duchess of Marlborough has given the children's jewel fund a pearl collar valued at $25,000, the Daily Express stated today. The fund is being used to establish maternity and child welfare centers.

SPRINGFIELD, O.—Coal was delivered to families without fuel in 100 pound lots by the city.

DRUG FIENDS DEVELOPED FROM USING "COUGH CURES"

NEW YORK PROBE REVEALS A DANGER WHICH THREATENS THE ENTIRE PUBLIC; DOCTORS SOUND WARNING

Witnesses testifying before the Whitney Joint Legislative Committee at City Hall, New York, have declared that they first began using morphine, heroin or some other oplate derived from the same base, by taking a "cough syrup" or "cold cure" which depended for its effect upon the nerve-deadening drugs which it contained.

While the National Law requires that the narcotic drugs contained in such nostrums shall be stated plainly on the label, it is none tho less a fact that a large number of them, morphine, heroin, codeine, chloroform, or other deadly drugs because of their power to give an immediate effect by deadening the nerves. When this effect has worn off you are worse off than before because the nerves have been weakened and the cough or cold gets a firmer hold.

Because of the fact that Father John's Medicine is absolutely guaranteed not to contain any dangerous, narcotic drugs in any form nor any alcohol. It is a safe family medicine for young and old. It treats colds promptly and in the commonsense, logical way. It soothes and heals the mucous lining of the throat and breathing passages. Its nourishing, strength-building elements build up new flesh and strength and its gentle laxative effect helps to drive out impurities and restore normal health.

Remember, Father John's Medicine is a doctor's prescription; not a patent medicine, and that it has had more than 60 years of success. Guaranteed.

A BRIGHT SPOT IN THE DAY'S NEWS

Mrs. Edward Fritsch, of Cincinnati, went to a movie and saw a lot more than she expected.

As the film of war news was unrolled, showing an American aviation camp in England—the barracks, machine shops and hangars.

Then was shown the kitchen. About the stove were a number of Americans cooking. One soldier turned and faced the crowd.

"Jack," cried Mrs. Fritsch.

It was her son, Corporal Jack Allen. Mrs. Fritsch had a film exchange trim out one of the pictures for a keepsake.

STRANGLER LEWIS AND CANTON GREEK WRESTLE LONG DRAW

(International News Service)

CANTON, O., JAN. 2.—Breaking the dreaded headlock six times in the last 30 minutes while his opponent twice escaped the leg scissors on the arm, James Londos, Canton Greek, and "Strangler Ed." Lewis, of Kentucky, wrestled two and a half hours to a draw last night, the rivals sharing equally in the assimilation of punishment.

NEXT YEAR IS DATE FOR THE 17-YR LOCUSTS

WOOSTER, JAN. 2.—Seventeen year-locusts in great swarms are to appear over Western Ohio in 1919, according to officials at the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station here. From Sandusky, to Portsmouth, and westward to the state line these insects will appear in large numbers. The experts say it is best to be conservative about planting new orchards in this district during 1918.

ZBYSZKO WINS OVER DEMETRAL

(International News Service)

COLUMBUS, O., JAN. 2.—Wm. Demetral tried to make his wrestling match with Wladek Zbyszko a boxing bout, but the referee could not see it that way and proclaimed Zbyszko winner, after the latter had been able to score one fall in 33 minutes, with a headlock. The Greek did not like the rules which compelled him to return to the center of the mat and take new holds when the bout put both grapplers on the edge of the mat.

Will Call It Third Liberty Loan, Is Tip

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2—After a hard struggle, the government has found a name for the third liberty loan which is to be issued sometime in the future. It is to be called the Third Liberty Loan.

The Ohio War Board Says Today

Public eating places in Ohio saved nearly 500,000 pounds of meat by observing meatless days during November.

No figures are available for savings made in private homes, but if the households are doing as well, Ohio is doing her bit to fill the ships with the red meats needed to send to our soldiers and the soldiers and people of our allies.

Rabbit is becoming a popular meat substitute in many households. There are many ways to serve rabbit. Here's one way:

Rabbit Sausage:—Take healthy rabbits, young or old, dress and soak over night in salt water. Wash thoroughly. Cut the meat off the bone and grind very fine in food chopper. To one pound of meat use one-fourth of a medium sized onion, two tablespoons cracker crumbs, three-fourths of a teaspoon of salt, one-half teaspoon black pepper, pinch of cayenne pepper, and one-eighth cup of milk. Chop onion fine with a knife. Mix all ingredients thoroughly, let stand for several hours, make into cakes and fry, or pan-broil.

Servian King In Ill Health

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—King Peter, of Servia, is very ill and anxiety is felt over his condition, said a dispatch from Athens today. He has been ordered by his physicians to move to Southern Greece where the climate is mild and has rented a villa at Castella, near Piraeus. The king is suffering from rheumatism and nervous disorder.

King Peter is 74 years old and ascended the throne in 1903. Shortly after the outbreak of the war Prince Alexander was made regent of Servia. King Peter spent much of his time traveling among his troops at the front under the incognito of Gen. Tapolla, until illness compelled him to take to his bed.

SYMPATHY

Said the chicken to the oyster:

"I am feeling mighty blue All my folks are disappearing and I fear that your's are too. Now, I lay the blame entirely upon Hoover, who, they say, started all this fearful bloodshed with his doggone meatless day.

"In the days before the kaiser took the allies by the throat, Sunday was the only day that could get a chicken's goat; now that Tuesday has been added, every feathered friend I've got is a victim of conscription. Cold in death, they serve him hot."

"I believe you," sobbed the bivalve, "we are dying by the score. Fourteen million lovely oysters beckon from the other shore. Moral fiber in us weakens; Chanticleer, I get the blues when I think how many comrades on their dying day were stews.

"Soon I'll go to join my fellows," and he shivered in his shell. "With his meatless day, this Hoover, gives us 50 kinds of—misfortune. He's the author of our troubles; man's his gourmandizing dupe; they may serve you baked or roasted; chances are that I'll be soup."

P. S.—Coshocton merchants report that since the inauguration of the meatless day consumption of chickens and oysters has increased more than 25 per cent.

KRUPP PLANT STORY HAS BEEN CONFIRMED

(International News Service)

AMSTERDAM, JAN. 2.—The great Krupp munition plant was reported burning recently. Workmen crossing from Germany into Holland said the fire lasted for more than 24 hours and caused great damage.

TRUCKS TRANSPORT FREIGHT BETWEEN OHIO AND ATLANTIC SEABOARD PORTS

Highway freight trains are now running in the United States over country roads. Motor trucks are working not only in short hauls between nearby points, but are running continuously on regular schedules between several Ohio cities and ports on the Atlantic coast.

Railroad congestion and the national crisis have suddenly brought about what good roads propaganda has been advocating for fifteen years.

One fleet makes a round trip between Akron and Boston in less than a week. The trucks are run continuously by three shifts of drivers, who sleep and eat right in the big vans.

The automobile industry is meeting the sudden demand. Developments in engineering have been rapid. Much of this development will be exemplified in the seventeenth annual Cleveland automobile show which is to run for nine days in the Wigmore coliseum, beginning Jan. 19.

That Uncle Sam appreciates the magnitude of the industry which has made such things possible is shown by the following letter written by Secretary of War Baker to Fred H. Caley, manager of the Cleveland show:

"I feel quite sure that the War Industries Board will take no action prejudicing so great an industry without very mature reflection and a clear sense of their duty in that regard. As a matter of fact, we are all conscious that the general industry of the country must be maintained as far as possible and that the great organizations of manufacture and trade which have been built up in times of peace ought not to be dispersed beyond the urgent necessities of the war program."

COSSACKS CLASH WITH RED GUARD

(International News Service)

COPENHAGEN, JAN. 2.—The town of Rylsk, in Ukrainia, has been the scene of heavy fighting between the Red Guard and loyal Cossacks for the last 48 hours, according to information from Petrograd today. Part of the town was destroyed. It is now reported the constituent assembly will not be convened at Petrograd until Jan. 7.

Rylsk is 62 miles from Kursk, where severe fighting between the Bolsheviki and loyal cossacks was reported yesterday. It has a population of 12,000.

MARION—E. E. Kerr declined to accept office as city treasurer to which he was recently elected, saying he was too busy running a grocery.

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COLUMBUS—Twenty couples started the new year here by getting married.

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PERCY AND FERDIE---Anyway, There's Always a Game at Kelly's - - - - - - By H. A. MacGILL

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Incendiary Fires Threaten Norfolk

(International News Service)

NORFOLK, JAN. 2—With 12 alleged detained under suspicion, the Norfolk authorities today were pushing a sweeping investigation into the cause of the series of fires, which yesterday threatened to wipe out the city.

The fire still was burning today but was under control.

A force of 1,200 bluejackets and marines, aided by members of the home guard are maintaining order in the city. Energetic relief measures have prevented any suffering.

The city of Portsmouth, across the Elizabeth river from Norfolk, also was threatened by a fire which started there shortly after midnight. It caused serious damage in the residential district.

One man believed to have been connected with the plot made his escape after a gun battle with a band of marines early today. He was detected skulking on the neighborhood of a British steamer undergoing repairs. He replied to a challenge to halt, by firing at the marines. They returned the fire, but the man made his escape in the darkness. None of his shots took effect.

Hugo Schmidt one of the suspects held under arrest, had been under surveillance of government agents for ten days, it was learned today. He had been employed by D. Bechman and some jewelers, in whose place one of the fires started.

BOWERY BREADLINE GOES OUT WITH OLD YEAR

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, JAN. 2—The famous New York bread line is gone.

Two institutions—one operated by the Bowery Mission and the other by the Fleischman Baking Company—have been closed by prosperity.

The men who formerly depended almost wholly on the breadline have taken up work deserted by those who shouldered the rifle.

Established nearly forty years ago, New York's breadlines have fed and saved countless thousands.

Men have emerged from the line to meet success. Some have climbed to the highest pinnacle of fame and business. Others have ended their more dismal careers in Sing Sing or the Potter's field.

Bowery habitues looked askance at the breadline when first established. It had a religious atmosphere. But its fundamental principle—succor—soon was established and the breadline grew to thousands.

The line dwindled when an eccentric millionaire tramp established the Hotel de Gink. There food and lodging were provided without cost. That place was closed two years ago and the breadline again grew.

Meanwhile war depleted laboring forces. Work was more plentiful and the men of the breadline proved they could work if work was to be had.

Many were broken in health, but the jobs were varied. There was employment for all. And so it comes about that one of the most famous institutions ever established in New York City, the breadline, simply expires for want of patronage.

Letters from the BOYS

Camp Sheridan, Dec. 21, 1917.

Mrs. James Everhart,
302 N. Eighth street,
Coshocton, Ohio

Dear Sister and All:

Just a few lines in answer to your loving letter, and to bestow upon you and yours my heartiest wishes for a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Well, Ethel, I was gassed for the first time in my life yesterday. We were all instructed in the use of the gas mask and the different kinds of gasses. We have to learn how to put them on in six seconds, and that is going pretty fast.

For a test, they have a house that is air tight, full of gas. The gas we had to try out was what they call tear gas, and believe me, it was the first time I shed a tear for quite awhile. We put our masks on and went in to be gassed. We left them on for two minutes, then we got orders to take off the masks for half a minute. We all shed tears. It sure is great.

The reason they call this tear gas is that the enemy sends this gas over the top to us. If they catch us unsuspecting, the tears come to our eyes, and a stronger solution will blind one. So you see we are at their mercy for a charge. They teach the use of the mask and to be on the alert. The other two lessons are the gas that kills you the moment and the one that paralyzes the body.

So when we get thru I think those Germans will have a hard time gassing this bunch down here.

Aunt Ella Shinn sent me the nicest present you ever saw for a soldier. It was a soldier's mess kit, a knife, fork and spoon with my initials on them. They sure are great. But I don't care for any presents myself, I haven't any place to put them ,and will have to send my stuff home if we move. Mamma and Jo sent me a nice sweater, the best in camp, and a box of smokes, and friends of mine sent me a box of smokes, too, so you see I'm well supplied and all I want from you, Ethel, is a nice letter every one in a while.

I am in the Y. M. C. A. now and they have it fixed up fine. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,

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Aged Sailor Amazes Japs

TOKIO, JAN. 2—W. H. Hardy, an 82-year old American sailor, the sole survivor of Commodore Peary's expedition to Japan in 1853, who now is revisiting Japan, recently surprised Japanese nobility at a dinner by turning a somersault to allay their concern for his weariness.

He continues to be lionized by all classes, high and low. His years rest on him lightly, and thus far he has been able to keep up a steady succession of lectures, interviews and sermons, in which he joins the reminiscences of his visit with Perry's fleet to a simple earnest plea for a warm friendship today between America and Japan.

Contest Ends In A Banquet

The members of Franklin Grange enjoyed a banquet at the grange hall Tuesday evening.

The banquet was the outcome of a contest started last spring between the ladies and gentlemen members of the grange in which it was agreed that the side getting the most new members during the year 1917 were to be the guests of the losers at a banquet to be held at the grange hall, New Year's night.

The men were the losers and acted as the hosts at a chicken and oyster supper given in the Franklin Grange Hall Tuesday evening.

About 100 members of the grange were present. A feature of the evening was the fact that the men did all the work, cooking the supper and washing the dishes.

John Erman, of near Wills Creek acted as chief cook and bottle washer for the occasion and he and his staff were complimented by the ladies present who united in declaring it one of the best suppers that they had ever had the pleasure of eating.

New Year Greetings

With warmth and sincerity we extend to you a message of good will and a NEW YEAR of good health ABUNDANT HAPPINESS and your full share of the Prosperity which lies before us all.

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WOOSTER GLEE CLUB PLEASES BIG AUDIENCE

There was a large audience at the Wooster Glee club concert given Tuesday evening in the First Presbyterian church. The members of the club have splendid voices, which blend most harmoniously. The program contained a variety of selections, including a few of the songs which are always popular among college folk.

The program concluded with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner by the Glee club and the audience. In all, the entertainment was one of the most pleasing ever given in this city, the lively and enthusiastic manner in which the numbers were given appealing to old and young alike.

Snow Blanket Settles Over Middle West

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, JAN. 2—From 8 to 12 inches of snow which covers Chicago today has caused serious shortage of fuel in the city, resulting in the partial closing down of the Wisconsin Steel company' plant, throwing 1,600 men out of employment. Work on government orders has been suspended.

Railroad Director McAdoo may order coal shipments to Chicago, having immediate right over rail traffic at request of Raymond F. Durham fuel administrator for Cook county, who is now in Washington. The city is hundreds of thousands tons short of its normal supply of coal, according to officials.

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NORMA TALMADGE

Norma Talmadge, the popular Selznick-Pictures star, will be seen on the screen of the Mystic Theatre tonight and Thursday in her latest feature photodrama, "Poppy." This is adapted from the play by Ben Teal and John P. Ritter, which was taken from Cynthia Stockley's novel. The story is intensely dramatic throughout, dealing with the life of a young girl who graduates from drudgery to refinement.

Miss Talmadge plays the part of Poppy Destin, whose life is moulded by three men, Luce Abinger the unscrupulous, Dr. Branham the generous, and Evelyn Carson the lover. These persons have become known as "The three women men to South Africa" on account of their adventures with women, but two of them prove that they are entitled to less sinister description. Thru them the unique situation arises of a young woman married to a man without knowing it, while the man she loves and who loves her believes his one meeting with her was only a dream. The unraveling of this original plot is one of the most fascinating of the screen stories of the year.

Whatever That Is.

Armed with a hooked bill resembling a hawk, with a spread of wing as big as a good-sized eagle and equipped with long legs, which he carries straight behind him, a bird which Allan Irish, of Sabino, Mex., says is a zyphunkuplipherz and is rare in that vicinity, has been seen frequently near Sabino.

Don't Look for Perfection.

We never look for absolute perfection in this old vale of tears, and probably all that it is reasonable to expect of an honest man is that you can trust him to tell the truth except in letters of recommendation.—Ohio State Journal.

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SUMMARY OF DAY'S WAR NEWS

A highly critical state of internal dissension exists among workers in munitions plants in Germany, according to unofficial reports filtering thru the censorship to Amsterdam. A series of disastrous explosions, it is said has prompted indepent workers working on government orders to resort to sabotage in hope of forcing the Kaiser to make peace. Scores have been arrested. Unrest is said to be growing. Peace negotiations between the Bolsheviki government and the central power have been broken off according to the London Daily News as result of Germany's refusal to vacate Poland and Courland.

Reports reaching London indicate that the policy of the central powers with regard to Russia has to do with commercial exploitation rather than diplomatic or militaristic.

Commercial agents are being sent thru Russia, it is stated, to mobilize for Germany and Austria the vast economic resources of the Czar's former empire.

King Peter of Serbia is seriously ill in Greece.

Rylsk, an Ukranian city has been the scene of heavy fighting between Cossacks and the Red Guard. The outcome of the battle is unknown. With snow hampering their operations, Austro-German troops are held on the Austro-German front by the combined forces of the entente. Fighting continues. Many Germans and Austrians are reported to have been frozen to death.

"Citizen Litvinoff has been appointed Bolshevik ambassador to England. Petrograd reports, and orders have been issued for acting diplomatic agents to turn over all state records to him. Information at Paris seems to indicate that the allies expect a definite German peace offer from some source within ten days. Comparative calm continues on the western front only engagements of local character being reported.

What the Draftsman Does.

Generally speaking, a draftsman, or draughtsman, is one who draws plans from instructions given him. A mechanical draftsman is an assistant to a mechanical engineer, and he draws the plans of the engineer's proposed works. If he is a mechanical engineer it will be plans of machines, bridges, etc. An architect plans buildings, and his draftsman, from instructions furnished him, draws the plans. The draftsman is largely a copyist. He creates nothing, but he gives expression to the ideas of his superior.

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THE WHEAT PROBLEM AGAIN

We have been looking forward to next year for the easing of the wheat situation. Now that hope is balked, so far as present prospects are concerned The government reports that the condition of winter wheat is the poorest in several years.

The condition percentage on Dec. 1 was only 79.3 against a ten-year average of 89.3. This means that, if weather conditions are normal from now on until harvest, there will be less than four-fifths as much winter wheat harvested as there ought to be, for the area sown. The loss in condition more than wipes out the increase anticipated from the 4 per cent acreage increase over last season.

The department of agriculture has been campaigning for a billion-bushel crop next year, including both winter and spring wheat. Unless winter wheat improves unexpectedly, there is indicated a harvest of only 540.000,000 bushels. That would leave 460,000,000 bushels to be made up by spring wheat, which is far more than we have ever raised. The big 1915 yield of spring wheat was only 337,000,000 bushels.

Nevertheless the only reasonable hope of producing enough wheat to supply our needs next year seems to rest with the spring wheat crop. It is imperative, therefore, that farmers shall sow a far larger acreage in the spring than ever before, and make every acre do its best.

In the meantime, consumers have a duty no less urgent. There is more reason now than ever before to economize in the use of wheat. Unless we save every possible bushel of grain, every possible pound of flour, we and our allies may face a greater shortage next winter than we are experiencing this winter. And there may not be any such bountiful corn crop to help out.

THE DANGER TO OUR GERMANS

Judge J. C. Ruppenthal, of Russell, Mo., who describes himself as a pure-blooded German, all of whose ancestors for many generations have been born in Germany and lived in Germany, looks at the German-American situation from a new and interesting angle. Giving advice to his fellow German-Americans, he says:

"I would rather not take chances for myself and my children as Americans on any treatment Germany might accord us if it were ever able to dictate terms of peace in or to the United States. In that day it will be better to be of any other blood than German. For of all Americans, I fancy, the American of German ancestry is the most cordially hated by the militarists of Germany. It behooves all Americans of German ancestry to be especially zealous for our nation, for they have most to lose."

Judge Ruppenthal probably has good reason for this view. It is well known that the Germans who came to America were generally regarded in the Fatherland, before the war, as a sort of renegade. The kaiser was notoriously scornful of them. It was hard for the American in question to appreciate this fact; it is hard for them now, but according to some of the most enlightened of their own racial group, the best thing for them to do is to face the facts.

Their own relatives and friends, the average Germans, back in the Fatherland, do not hate them. But the militarists who control the army and the government do hate them. Those militarists fawned on them early in the war, in the hope that they would serve Germany by pulling the Prussian chestnuts out of the American fire. Many German-Americans were sufficiently deluded to fall in with this scheme, to their own great misfortune. They failed as Germans and also as Americans.

This country has, in general, forgiven them because nearly all of them finally came to see the error of their ways. The German ruling class has not forgiven them. It hates them all for their failure to bring America under the sway of Prussianism and keep us out of the war while the German government worked its brutal will on civilization.

GUMPTION

BY WALT MASON

A good old word that's gone to seed! Yet "gumption" is the stuff you need, if you would gain renown; if you have gumption you will win, tho all the planets may be in a plot to hold you down So many live from mouth to hand, and spend their lifetime pounding sand, our yonder in the rain! They've had advantages galore, and golden chances at their door have knocked, and knocked in vain. With good intentions in their hearts, they failed in all the busy marts where worth while things are done; they found this world a killing frost, they had no gumption and they lost, while chaps with gumption won. The man with gumption hews his way from lowly station, day by day, to something high and fine; as Lincoln rose from low estate, until upon the White House gate one day he nailed his sign The man without it hits the pike with everything that seems like, to check him on his road but all his ventures turn out ill, at last the poorhouse on the hill becomes his man's abode 'Tis gumption spurs the laggard step! It stands for sense and grip and pep, and all things hard to beat. It was Eli coined the word, I think, and Eli was the [illegible] with both feet

New York Day-By-Day

By O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, JAN 2.-
I'm off Kelly pool now.
For what is left.
Of my natural life
I've got no business
Gambling anyhow

I once tried to guess.
Under which shell.
The little ball was concealed.
At the county fair.
And had to walk home.
And at the Kelly pool game
They gave me a pill.
And said: "Here's a pill."
"Take it."
And I tried.
And it wouldn't go down.
Without a struggle
Then they said: "Shoot"
And I did and got No 15
And the referee who gave me.
The little black pill.
Said: "You win That's yours"
"Show them your pill."
And I blushed.
And said "I couldn't."
And they asked why.
And I said I swallowed it.
And they all laughed
And I got mad and said:
"You said take it I did."
"What did you expect me to do."
"Roll it around the block"
And they laughed again
And I flew off the handle.
And said: "Is that so?"
And they told me.
I had won the game.
But had to show the pill
Before I could get the money.
So I left the game flat
And on the street car
I met a fellow.
From New Berlin, Ohio.
And he was crying.
Because they wouldn't change.
The name of his town.
And I cried with him.
Because I have a cousin.
Who lives in Hamburg, N. Y.
And wherever he goes.
People think he's a Prussian.
They ought to take all.
These German enemies.
And this guy Kelly.
Whoever he is.
And make them swallow.
Black pills all day long.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

The Knights of Pythias district convention will be held here next Tuesday.

Tenants on East Side of New York strike because of high rents.

State troops are ordered to Muncie, Indiana, to help keep street railway strikers from damaging property.

Amos E. Severns and Miss Lena Styers, both of Walhonding were married by Rev. W. E. Hunt today.

William Huffman, waiter at the Criterion restaurant was severely burned when his apron caught fire while at work today

Workmen are drilling for gas near Newcomerstown.

Jesse Senter, aged 6, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs J. H. Senter of Virginia township after a short illness of lung fever today.

A new law firm, George E. Roche and George D. Klein has opened for business in the city.

The Jollier

Economy is the savings bank into which men drop pennies and get dollars in return.

How many times have you written it 1917? We thot so

Friend wife knows hubby is extravagant, because he would just as leave pay a dollar for an article as 98 cents.

Anyone can earn money, but the successful man is he who spends it wisely. Economy is not hoarding.

The best way to stop people kicking your dog around is to tag the hound

The lowly coal shovel is the latest victim of the tag-tier's designs

When folks fall in love they fail to see each other's faults. Kind Providence saves that for a little later.

A poor canine in the hands of Executor Graham has about as much show as an ice cream cone in a turkish bath

But, there are still a few odd thousands of yellow curs for Chris and Earl to work on

WAGES INCREASED TODAY

(International News Service)

ST LOUIS, JAN 2.—Railroad clerks and telegraphers in the employ of the St. Louis Southwestern (Cotton Belt) Railroad received today 7.5 per cent increases in wages. This increase, granted voluntarily by the company, added more than $100,000 a year to the company's pay roll

FINANCIAL LETTER

THE WAR—ITS LOSSES AND GAINS

NEW YORK, DEC. 31—Over 50,000,000 men are under arms in Europe, whose energies have been diverted from production to destruction. Over 12,000,000 men have been killed or permanently injured since the war began. Over $100,000,000,000 have already been expended by the nations at war, and at present rate of rising expenditure the cost will exceed $150,000,000,000 when the end of the fourth year is reached next August.

When it is remembered that for every man at the front from three to five are required at the rear for his support, it follows that between 150,000,000 and 200,000,000 men have been withdrawn from the normal channels of production into the abnormal. No wonder that the world is facing a serious economic famine, not only in food and clothing, but also in the innumerable materials required for human comfort and support. The loss in life and money only partly measures the colossal bill for damages, which will be a crushing burden for generations. Such a bill must also include the setback to moral and spiritual forces, the inheritance of bitterness, the detrimental effects upon art, literature, science, education and all the varied social and political activities which are part of our civilization. These are losses that will leave their impress upon the nations for many future decades. The material losses such as destruction of factories railroads, ships, cities, etc., tho less important than those just mentioned, are visible and more readily offset by new energies and resources that will promptly develop with the advent of peace.

The hugh cost of this war can be appreciated when it is considered that the six great was preceding—the Russo-Japanese, the Boer, the Franco-Prussian, the American Civil War, the Crimean and the Napoleonic wars — cost about $23,000,600,000, as against $150,000,000,000, the estimate of this war up to next August. Great Britain will then have spent $34,000,000,000, including $6,000,000,000 in loans to Allies, and good authorities estimate that in these three years the warring powers will have quadrupled their debts, the interest on which already amounts to $5,000,000,000. It would seem as if such burdens would break the back of any nation, yet the tremendous development of resources, and the great potential recuperative powers of the various nations afford good basis for the belief that recovery will be more rapid than expected. This country will recover with a bound when peace comes, and the gain from our exports and newly opened markets will largely offset present losses. Great Britain will certainly recuperate rapidly, as she has always done after each war. Germany will make tremendous efforts at recovery, tho handicapped by impaired finances and the break up of her foreign trade She should not be hampered when peace comes by retaliatory tariffs: they would only keep jealousy alive and limit her purchasing powers from the United States. France, too, will also show great resiliency. One of the most serious after-war problems will be that of deflation; Germany, Russia and France have trebled or quadrupled their issue of paper money, England is the only leading nation in Europe redeeming its obligations in gold.

Effects of War Upon United States

In the political machinery of the United States revolutionary changes have already taken place and others are imminent. Within a few short months government regulation of industry has been established on a scale that would have required many years to put into effect in times of peace. Our vast railway system has come under government control, and is not likely to return to the old system of scattered private management. Railroad unification will remain, and the tendency of centralization promises to surpass the wildest dreams of even a disciple of Harriman. Government ownership is not yet in sight, but government control has been adopted, to the benefit of the public and the railroads alike. Government regulation of industry has also been accepted on an elaborate scale, tho likely to be less permanent than in the case of the railroads. Control has been confined chiefly to distribution and price fixing the policy of the government having wisely been to allow liberal profits in order to stimulate production without permitting profiteering. The policy of price fixing under Mr. Hoover has been eminently successful in restraining profiteering, but has not succeeded in lowering prices; nor is that possible when the entire world is threatened with starvation, or until production has been increased When peace comes some of these government activities will be closed altho a large measure of control over industry and trade is sure to remain

Upon the United States the most striking effects of war have been a marvelous expansion of banking power, the change from a debtor to a creditor nation; a sensational development in our foreign commerce; the sudden creation of a great mercantile marine; the birth of an important chemical industry; the great expansion of our steel industry, and the raising of agricultural products valued at $21,000,000,000, compared with $14,000,000,000 a year ago. On the other hand Germany as a result of war has lost the second place as a maritime power; also her foreign trade, her colonies, her Far Eastern schemes, and her chemical industry; not to speak of internal political, social and economic derangement and her lost standing among the nations of the world. Against these losses she has a poor offset in the varied slices of territory which she has seized in Europe, but will not be permitted to keep.

Perhaps the greatest surprise of the war was our suddenly developed power as an international banker. Since the war began we have loaned Europe over $8,000,000,000, most of which was expended for munitions produced within our own boundaries. We have practically repurchased all American securities held abroad. We have extended huge loans to all of the Allies, and changed from being a debtor to a creditor nation. For the last twelve months we have been the leading banking power of the world. In the process we have accumulated a vast store of gold, amounting to considerably over $3,000,000,000. We are the only country that has benefited largely by the war; and this thru no selfish effort of our own. Some of the belligerents are already on the edge of bankruptcy. Great Britain suffered relatively less than any other nation, excepting ourselves, and will undoubtedly recuperate rapidly. But no nation will be so well prepared for great forward strides as the United States with its increased prestige, its great banking power and its immense and highly organized industries. What the future holds in store for the various belligerents is not divulged; but it is encouraging to know that history proves that all nations have usually shown unexpected recuperative powers after war.

Rebirth of Shipping and Chemical Industries

Another remarkable effect of the war upon the United States has been our almost instantaneous leap from the bottom as a maritime power to next the top. Thanks to the submarine, we were forced to offset its ruthless work by building ships to the extent of over 1,000,000 tons in 1917, while in 1918 it is expected we shall add another 2,500,000 tons. Our present building program calls for nearly 9,000,000 tons. Thanks to the submarine again, we shall quickly occupy the place which Germany formerly held as second maritime power of the world. Great Britain still easily holds first place, which she has retained for many years as the largest carrier, the largest banker and the largest merchant in the world Her great mercantile fleet is the outgrowth of her vast empire and the enormous commerce built up by her worldwide liberal policies. Our own new-born shipping industry, which came to us so unexpectedly, has a critical period to face. It was created in a time of fabulous freight rates and has yet to meet the stress of intense foreign competition. Europe has long been able to build and operate ships much more cheaply than we, thru possession of a supply of skilled labor and management not yet available in the United States Our success in meeting foreign competition will depend entirely upon giving our shipowners a fair chance to conduct their business with as much freedom as their rivals. Until some of the restrictions now imposed by law are removed, the chances of the American merchant marine securing a permanent footing will be seriously handicapped An added benefit of the war, also at Germany's expense, is the opening of new opportunities for export trade This is especially true of South America, where American enterprise is already entrenching itself and preparing to aid in the development of the boundless resources of that continent In Russia also, there are large opportunities for new enterprise which will be available after the war. Our banking interests and our leading captains of industry have initiated movements for developing the resources of these great territories with American capital and American enterprise.

The miraculous birth of a great chemical industry should not be overlooked. Since the war began, over $320,000,000 have been invested in new chemical ventures in this country. Considerable of this sum was for the manufacture of explosives, but much of it has been applied to chemical and dye plants that will become a permanent factor in American industry. This industry means another big loss to Germany; and it has still to face a critical period when normal conditions return. German competition in dyes and chemicals after the war will unquestionably be severe; and in all probability congress will be asked to grant some measure of protection, at least until the industry has been sufficiently established to hold its own.

The Rush of Foreign Trade

Our foreign trade is expanding at a tremendous pace. During the ten months ending October 3, American exports reached $5,150,000,000, an increase of $707,000,000 over the same time last year. Presumably these figures include shipments of munitions to the Allies, but not those intended for our own use. Imports of merchandise during the same period amounted to $2,504,000,000, an increase of $494,000,000. This left an excess of exports for the ten months amounting to $2,646,000,000, or $213,000,000 more than a year ago. While this great balance in our favor is being gradually liquidated in various ways, the great bulk of it is unquestionably being met by credits in the form of notes and bond issues to our Allies. Here is a striking confirmation of how the war has suddenly transformed us from a big debtor nation into a still bigger creditor nation. As might be expected, the gain in exports was chiefly with our Allies; shipments to countries contiguous to the enemy having shown heavy declines To France our exports during these ten months gained $94,000,000; to Italy, $93,000,000, to Russia in Europe, $46,000,000; to Great Britain $116,000,000; to Canada $212,000,000, and to Japan $46,000,000 By contrast our exports to Belgium, Denmark, Greece, Holland, Norway and Sweden showed a decline of nearly $80,000,000, a shrinkage for which our embargo was largely responsible. The most impressive gain in American exports was to Canada, whose purchases from us during this period rose from $481,000,000 to $693,000,000, which far exceed all our exports to South America. Meanwhile, our imports from Canada rose from $187,000,000 to $328,000,000, a total foreign trade with that country of $1,021,000,000. Altho considerable of this increase was due to munition shipments, it is surely time to seek a more liberal trade policy between two such good neighbors as the United States and Canada, without slackening in our attentions to South America.

Our New Point of View

This war has also forced a vital change in our international position. Hereafter we shall look outward as well as inward; we will be vastly more interested in foreign ventures, and will find ourselves obliged to take an interest in foreign politics and foreign economic and social affairs. We have been rudely awakened to a new consciousness; a consciousness that we need other and larger fields for employment of our expanding resources, energy and skill. We can supply the world with many things hitherto supplied chiefly by Britain and Germany. The latter, tho much crippled, will make strenuous efforts to regain her lost hold. Great Britain, re-energized by war, will be fully occupied in her own customary markets, even if temporarily crippled by the war. The United States is splendidly equipped to enter foreign markets, particularly in the steel and allied industries, and the country can look forward in confidence to such outlets for our new growth. We possess capital in abundance, and investors must be encouraged to venture into foreign fields. Our bankers, our manufacturers, our merchants and our carriers must also learn the value of co-operation and co-ordination for the common purpose of winning foreign markets on sound and peaceful lines. Highly developed organization is essential to success We must realize that if we wish to sell, we must also be ready to buy, and that all unnecessary restrictions upon legitimate commercial intercourse must be abolished in order to facilitate sound and natural development When peace comes there should be no imposing of retaliatory tariffs and boycotts upon the vanquished Such a policy would

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RELIABLE PRESCRIPTION FOR THE KIDNEYS

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Blue Chambray Shirts	58c
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Grey Sweater Coats	$1.19
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Return to Bryn Mawr

Miss Mary Almack will leave this evening for Bryn Mawr, Pa., to resume her studies at Bryn Mawr College after spending the holidays at her home on South Sixth street.

Celebrates Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley S. Dawson, of Conesville celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday with an elaborate dinner

Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Wright, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Aretus Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Philetus Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hamilton, Mrs. Mariah Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson, Mrs. Vina J. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dawson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harley S. Dawson, the host and hostess who were presented with a fine chest of silverware. The guests were entertained with music and singing, furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dawson and Prof. Ralph Robinson.

Evening Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lowery, of Warsaw entertained at their home Saturday evening, honoring their son Clay Lowery. Music and contests furnished entertainment for the evening. Prizes were won by Miss Lola Bible and Russell Miller.

A delicious two course lunch was served to the following: Misses Nell Swigert, Margaret Johnson, Mary Dean, Ethel McCurdy, Lola Bible, Edith Whittaker, Marie Shaw, Grace Johnston, Ora Dean, Virgie McCurdy, Edna Beal, Mary Miller, Ruth Shaw and Grace Bible, Russell Miller, Dan Shaw, Ralph Sharpless, Russell Wheeler, Harold Orr, Everett Lowery, Marion Bible, Emmett Robinson, Clyde Johnson, Otis Dean, Ralph Wheeler, Cass Shaw, William Dean, Clay Lowery and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reed.

Spend Week End.

Miss Margaret Johnson, of this city spent the week end as the guest of Miss Mary Dean, at her home near Warsaw.

Returns To School.

Clarence Wolfe, a student at the Elliott commercial school at Wheeling, W. Va., returned to that place Tuesday, after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wolfe, of Keene.

At Daliere Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Daliere entertained the following young people at their home near New Castle Saturday night with a taffy party: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Neldon, Misses Leona Funk, Hazel Frazee, Mary Williams, Opal Neldon, Hazel Williams, Sylvia Wright, Twila Neldon, Burr Rodgers, Lewis Richards, Denver Hagans, Hooker Burch, Ralph Daliere, Noel Crago, Earl Neldon, Ernest Wright, Hobert Burch, Win Walters, Clarence Crago.

Watch Party.

Misses Helen and Grace Day entertained with a watch party at their home on South Sixth street, Monday night. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were served to: Misses Eunice Lowe, Hazel Jennings, Bertha Blair, Justine Abbott and Anna Zimmer; Mr. and Mrs. John Jennings, Edward O'Brien, Oliver McNichols, Russell McCullough, Ralph King, Herman Cratz and William Wyland.

Missionary Meeting.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Roscoe M. E. church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Neptune.

Home From Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balmer and son, Charles, of East Main street, have returned home from a week's visit in Akron and New Philadelphia.

Home From Wheeling.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jacobs will return to their home on Mulberry street Wednesday evening from Wheeling, W. Va., where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller.

District Meeting.

District 7 of Grace M. E. church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. W. St Clair on South Fourth street.

Married in Wheeling

Miss Elsie Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rodgers, of South Sixth street, and Harry Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Davis, of South Sixth street, were married in Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 26. The bride is a glove worker here, and the groom is employed at the Clow plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis are making their home with the latter's parents.

Dinner Party.

Misses Clara and Anna Abel entertained the members of the K. I. U. club at a delightful dinner party at their home in Conesville New Year's day. Table decorations were in black and yellow, the club colors, and the favors were calendars in these colors.

Covers were laid for the following: Mrs. Arthur Dawson and Robert Dawson, Mrs. Clyde Wheeler, Mrs. Guy Chaney, Mrs. Ray Biggs, Misses Mary Biggs, Josephine Wheeler, Belle Cooksey, Thelma Miller, Marie Bown and Hannah Wilcox.

The afternoon was spent in sewing and an informal program of music was enjoyed.

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If you ever feel distressed after eating be sure to take a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet. For no matter what you eat there will be no gas, no sour risings, no lump in your throat, no biliousness, no dark brown taste in the morning. And should you now be troubled, eat a tablet as soon as possible and relief will come promptly. These tablets correct at once the faults of a weak or overworked stomach, they do the work while the stomach rests and recovers itself. Particularly effective are they for banqueters and those whose environment brings them in contact with the rich food most apt to cause stomach derangement. Relief in these cases always brings the glad smile. Get a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, 50 cents, in any drug store. Be good to your stomach

Postpone Bazaar.

The chicken supper and bazaar which the women of the United Brethren Church had announced they would hold in the church January 10, has been postponed for one week.

For Electrical work call Brode and Miller, Geidel Bldg.

Watch Party.

The following enjoyed a watch party at the Mohawk grange hall, Monday night: Misses Bertha Shorder, Mae Workman, Leona Funk, Sylvia Wright, Hazel Frazee, Grace Whitaker, Cora Taylor, Zora Snyder, Rosa Guthrie, Myrtle Bucklew, Edith Lee, Sylvia Kirk, Enzie Jones, Ada Mowry, Pearl Phillips, Faith Johnston, Ethel Heaton, Frances Laughlin, Elsie Moore, Grace Darling, Irene Gause, Nona Gause, Gladys Gause, Pearl Keefer, Winogene Darling and Dona Shorder; Charles Funk, Clyde Gulliams, Allison Barrett, Floyd Moore, Fred Darling, Ted Johnston, Dennis Wise, Vernon Wise, Charles Hauger, Carroll Barrett, Francis Whitaker, Jimmy Mackey, Ernest Wright, Glenn Guthrie, Dwight Hughes, Ray Hawthorne, Daniel Shaw, Cass Shaw, Mac Harper, Clyde Lee, Carlos Cullison, Ralph Hughes, Wilbur Endsley, Alois Darling, Rudolph Darling and Charles Norris.

CHRISTMAS PARTY, Y. W. C. O., THURSDAY, 7:30 P. M.

Dinner Guests.

The following were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wright, of Newcomerstown, New Year's day: Mrs. John Lear, Mrs Thomas Young, Mrs. Joseph Robson, Miss Doris Young, Miss Grace Lear, Miss Margaret Robson and Robert Lear.

New Year's Guests.

The following were New Year's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs Solomon Bible of route three: Mrs. Emmanuel Grace and sons, Paul, Eugene and Clarence; Mrs. Harvey Grace and son, Robert; Guilford Dickerson, and Harry Bible.

Y. W. C. O. Party.

The members of the Young Woman's Christian Organization will enjoy a Mother Goose party at their rooms Thursday evening. This will be the annual Christmas party, with Miss Mabel Parrish in charge.

Spent New Years.

Mr and Mrs. J. T. Mossman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wright and family spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Donley, of New Moscow.

Entertains At Dinner.

Mrs. H. E. Cooksey, of South Lawn avenue, entertained with a birthday dinner New Year's day honoring her grand-daughter, Ethel Mills. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cooksey, Mr and Mrs. Carl Cooksey, Thomas Mills of Adams Mills; Mrs. Lina Mills, Miss Marjorie Mills and the guest of honor.

Return To Pittsburg.

Mrs. Carl Cooksey returned to her home in Pittsburg, Wednesday, after spending two weeks visiting friends in this city.

Carl Laughlin, of this city, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mr. Solomon Bible of route three.

Phi Sig Dance Is Enjoyed By Society Folk

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Compton chaperoned the dance given by the Phi Sigma Chi fraternity in the I. O. O. M. hall, Tuesday evening. The Weaver orchestra furnished good music and the affair was delightful in every way.

Those who attended were: Misses Phedora Timmons, Sarah Meek, Mary Smith, Marie Shaw, Elsie McKinley, Della Brucken, Vera Conrad, Phebe Frederickson, Katherine Speckman, Mildred Kirkpatrick, Katherine Snyder, Norma Hennell, Oneita Barnes, Kenneth Henderson, Anita Tracewell, Nelle Beach, Ruth Markley, Gertrude Reuss, Delia Hay, Margaret Hermann, of Zanesville; Helen Adams, Marie Reuss, Ruth Pfous, Mary Meek, Mary Almack, Virginia Merrell, Marno Hay, Dorothy Neal, Margaret Rudy, Margaret Gallagher and Elizabeth Borland, of McKeesport, Pa.; Prof Frank C. Shroeder, New York City; Ralph Humrickhouse, Francis Voorhees, Benton Clark, Wilton Deans, Joseph Watson, of Indianapolis, William Hunt, Robert Reed, Charles Mulligan, Albert Royer, Matthew Clark, Edgar Brode, Francis Hay, Lieut. Eugene Lynde, Carlos Cooksey, Harold Elliott, Ivan Wolford, John Shipps, John Glenn, David Markley, Rush Trottman, Joseph Royer, William Shepler, Russell Hagans, Charles Sells, Russell Keagy, Harry Hunt, Francis Barnes, Kenneth Westfall, Walter March, Thomas Williams, Joseph Shepler, Thomas Humrickhouse, George Gosser, William Himebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Draper St. Clair, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Meek, Judge and Mrs. James Glenn, Mrs. Garvey Gayle and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shipps.

Ladies Aid Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the German Evangelical church will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Carrie Bieber on South Eighth street.

In Newark.

Harold Dawson, of Vine street, spent Tuesday in Newark as the guest of friends.

Entertains At Park Hotel.

Miss Elsie McKinley will entertain the members of the T. H. B. club with a dinner at the Park hotel this evening. Melvin McKinley, father of the hostess, will act as chaperone to the guests who will be Misses Mary Meek, Katherine Snyder, Esther Carpenter, Margaret Shepler, and Ruth Pfous.

Freight In Britain Is Congested

LONDON, JAN 2.—Higher efficiency in the operation of railroads is demanded here as well as in America. Centralized operations of the British railways under government control has revealed the weaknesses of the decentralized system of pre-war days. The most insistent demand at present is for the establishment of a central clearing house and freight station for the congested traffic of greater London

There are 1,500,000 freight cars in Great Britain. A report just published shows that, at any given moment, 97 per cent of them are standing still, 2 1-2 per cent are moving, but empty, while only one-half of 1 per cent represent real efficiency. "The rails are choked with cars, mostly empty which cannot move forward owing mainly to congestion of terminals," says the report. Much the same thing is noted in connection with locomotives.

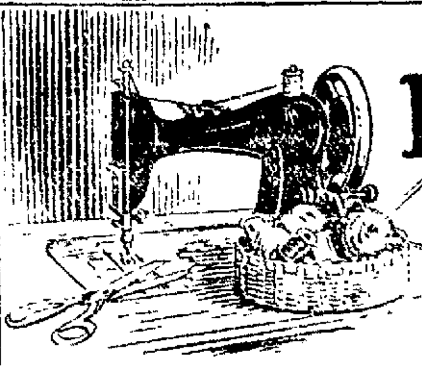
Experts figure that the establishment of a central scheme for handling freight in London would abolish 25,000 miles of track and sidings; would free rolling stock worth $1,250,000,000, would reduce London's annual cartage bills by two-thirds; would enable 5,000 trucks and automobiles to do the work now requiring 120,000.

At present the congestion of terminals here is so great that every wagon and automobile employed in hauling freight thru the streets from the terminals is idle for nine hours of the day. There are 400 railway stations in London, and the wastage of time, money and effort in merely hauling back and forth between the various terminals is colossal.

RUSS WHEAT FOR TEUTONIC ALLIES

(International News Service)

ZURICH JAN 2. Germany and Russian have entered into a commercial agreement by which Russia is to supply Central power with wheat, says news agency dispatch reaching here today.



Little Mending after washday

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RICE TO QUIT POST IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2—The London Daily Chronicle's report that Sir Cecil Spring Rice, British ambassador here, was to retire and be succeeded by an Englishman closer to Premier Lloyd George was discussed with much interest here today. Should Sir Cecil retire shortly it will not cause great surprise. His health has not been of the best for some time and it is well known to his friends that only the necessities of the war have kept him at his post here.

Sir Cecil has conducted his office here with extraordinary efficiency despite criticism from certain British sources. He has handled the many difficult and trying situations that have arisen from time to time in a masterly manner that has been especially pleasing to officials here who have been in contact with him. And if he does retire, it was emphasized by officials in a position to know, it will be because he feels his health will no longer stand the strain.

Bad Fire In Pittsburgh

HARRISBURG, PA., JAN. 2.—Fire early today almost completely destroyed three departments of the Harrisburg Pine and Pipe Bending company, which is working on government orders. The blaze originated in the paint shop and workmen say that before the flames were seen an explosion was heard. Some of the men thot it was a paint can that exploded. David F. Tracy, president of the company, says no investigation as to the origin of the fire has been made yet. The loss is estimated at $250,000, the greatest damage being done to machinery.

Two workmen were slightly burned. Rebuilding operations will begin at once.

Will Turn Out More Officers

CAMP SHERMAN, JAN. 2.—Eight hundred and fifty men now serving as privates or non commissioned officers will enter the new officers' training schools, which open Saturday. Lieut. Col. James G. Hannah, is commandant of the school here. Originally it had been planned to limit the number of candidates from commissions to 450. Brig. Gens. Perkins and Holcomb, and Col. Ashburn, acting commander of the artillery brigade, have selected 500 men from among the ranks and submitted the names to Maj. Gen. Glenn for approval. Meanwhile other organization were selecting candidates for commission in special training camps. An engineer officers' training school will be opened at Camp Lee, Va., and 21 men were chosen from this camp to attend. Five men were selected for the machine gun school at Springfield armory and five to a similar school at the Rock Island, Ill., arsenal.

HAS AN OPERATION

Harrison Elson, local saloon keeper, was operated on for ulcer of the stomach Wednesday morning at the city hospital. Dr. J. W. Shaw performed the operation, assisted by Drs. Lister Pomerene and E. M. Wright.

ENTERS HOSPITAL

Mr. Robert Taylor, of West Lafayette was admitted to the City hospital Wednesday and will undergo an operation Thursday.

CARTON'S

None But Good Shoes

CONGRESS

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of farm loan bonds, which have become a drag on the market because of the absorption of the money market by the government. The senate is bound, by a similar agreement to vote on Jan 7th on the so-called leasing bill, throwing open this development millions of acres of enormously valuable mineral lands now controlled by the government. On Jan 10th the House will vote on the nationwide woman's suffrage resolution.

The congressional probe into the conduct of the war was resumed with new vigor today. Five phases of the investigation were under way. The senate military affairs committee went into the profiteering scandals which have been in circulation about army contracts. The house Naval Affairs committee planned to renew its inquiry into the affairs of the navy. Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator, was ready to go before the senate Manufactures Sub-committee investigating the sugar shortage. The senate commerce commission continues its investigation of the shipping board while the senate commerce committee summoned railroad executives to give their views about needs of the railroad. Legislative remedies for conditions disclosed by investigations today began to appear in large numbers. Many measures to speed up the war are being drafted for early consideration of the senate. Creation of a munitions director, or a small and compact munitions board, will be urged to take the place of the various conflicting authorities now engaged in the war management. Universal military service will be offered as a safeguard against recurrence of the unpreparedness which marked Americas entrance into the war. Abolishment of the shipping board and the emergency fleet corporation and establishment of a director of shipping and ship-building will also be one of the recommendations at a series of commerce committees meetings now engaged in probing the shipping situation.

BAKER DECLINES A "JONAHED" JOB

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2. The real reason why Raymond T. Baker, director of the mint, turned down the offer of a U. S. senatorship, was that he thinks the job may be "Jonahed."

"The undertaker has his eye on many senators from Nevada," said Baker. "They don't last in that job. I have seen many fine, strong men go to the senate from Nevada and come home in a box. I can name enough dead senators from Nevada to man a ship, but I know five living directors of the mint. Better a living director than a dead senator."

OPERATED UPON

Miss Margaret Hoisky, of Roscoe underwent a minor operation Wednesday performed by Dr. J. G. Smails assisted by Dr. T. J. Lear.

MARKETS

EAST BUFFALO

EAST BUFFALO, JAN. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 500. Market slow, weak

Prime Steers	$13.00@14.50
Butcher Grades	6.50@12.00

CALVES—Receipts, 300. Market active and steady.

Cull to Choice	$5.00@17.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 2400. Markets slow.

Choice Lambs	17.50@17.75
Cull to Fair	12.00@17.00
Yearlings	14.00@15.50
Sheep	6.00@13.00

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000. Market slow, 50c lower.

Yorkers	$16.90@17.00
Pigs	16.50@16.75
Mixed	$16.90@17.00
Heavy	16.90@17.00
Roughs	15.50@16.00
Stags	14.00@14.50

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, JAN. 2.—Corn unchanged. Oats ½ higher. Provisions closed lower. Close.

Corn—Jan., 1.25 3-8; May, 1.24 3-8 to ¼.

Oats—Jan., 78½; March, 77½; May, 77 7-8 to 3-4.

Pork—Jan., 44.75; May, 44.62.

Lard—Jan., 23.45; May, 23.57.

Ribs—Jan., 23.50; May, 23.97.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, JAN. 2.—Close:

Wheat—Cash, 2.20.

Corn—Cash, 1.90.

Oats—Cash, 82 3-4

No Rye.

Cloverseed—Prime cash, old 16.65 new, and Jan., 16.55; Feb., 16.80; March, 16.30.

Alsike Prime cash and Feb., 14.70; March, 14.80

Timothy—Prime cash, old 4.00, new 4.10; March, 4.32½

Ohio Again Snow Bound

COLUMBUS, JAN 2.—Central Ohio awoke today to find five inches of snow covering the ground. In Northeastern Ohio the fall amounted to two inches and in Southwestern Ohio to three inches. Trains thruout the state were delayed from one to two hours. Snow flurries will continue during the next 24 hours the weather bureau announces.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TEAMSTER wanted. Call at 108 Orchard St. Bell phone 875.

HORSE TO GIVE AWAY. Call Bell phone ... 108 Orchard St.

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Special Prices on Boys' Shoes

Gunmetal Calf with Good Soles

9 to 13	1.60
1 to 2	1.90
3 to 6	2.25

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CANTWELL'S

Over The County

ADAMS MILLS

Mrs. Henry Gill and daughter, Bernice, spent part of last week with relatives in Cumberland.

Mrs. W. H. Hailes and granddaughter, Ethel, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Smailes in Conesville.

Robert Ross made a business trip to Coshocton Saturday.

Mildred Corder spent the week end with relatives in Coshocton.

Mrs. J. R. Balo shopped in Coshocton Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Ridgway and daughter, Mary were week end guests of friends in Conesville.

Jay Corder spent Saturday in Coshocton.

S. S. Dunmead left Monday for Redfield, where he has accepted a position as manager in a general store.

Miss Carrie Balo shopped in Coshocton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newcome spent Saturday in Coshocton

Mrs. P. S. Gray and daughter, Ellen, shopped in Coshocton, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brooke, of Coshocton made a business trip here last Thursday

James Dayton spent Saturday in Coshocton.

John Mills and son, Arthur, of Coshocton, spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darper and children, spent Tuesday with relatives in Conesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Davis of Trinway spent Tuesday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coverdale.

Mrs. James Balo is confined at her home suffering with rheumatism.

Miss Esther Scott is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Coshocton

Mrs. G. F. Bainter and son, Lon, returned to their home in Strasburg Tuesday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Martha Balo.

BLISSFIELD ROUTE 1

W. H. Fox and daughter, Mrs Clyde Sproull, entertained at a Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. E. R Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Myers; Misses Grace, Olive, Mildred and Kathryn Fox, Messrs. Ralph Williamson and Hervey Fox

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Carter called on Mr and Mrs. W. S. Elliott one evening recently.

Miss Julia Arnold and Mrs. Grover Arnold of Coshocton spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bower and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. William Fox.

Misses Delphia Lowe, Emma Lewis and Bessie Lewis returned home Saturday after spending the week with Miss Gladys Williard, of Paint Valley. Mrs. Clifford Williard accompanied them home.

M. E. Fox and daughter Ethel spent Friday in Millersburg.

Mrs. Howard Arnold and son Howard of Coshocton, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Shepler.

Master Alva and Harvey Myers spent Sunday with Evart and Glenn Reed.

Mr. G. E. Fox made a business trip to Millersburg one day last week.

Mrs. Crissy Layland spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Lovina Mullet.

Mrs Margaret Shepler entertained at a Christmas dinner: Mrs. Howard Arnold and son of Coshocton, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shepler and children; Messrs Will, Earl and James Shepler.

W. A. Fox, L. S. Mullet and C. B. Mullet were in Coshocton on business Thursday.

Miss Zelma Reed, of Blissefild, spent the week end at her home on this route.

L. H. Fox made a business trip to Coshocton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs Frank Lang visited a few days last week with relatives at Mansfield.

I. J. Fox has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Akron.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Williamson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Endsley of Chestnut Ridge

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lower and daughter Hazel and son Harold were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Endsley Sunday.

Mr Henry Markley who has been seriously ill is greatly improved.

Rev. Monk will begin a series of meetings at the Evangelical Church on Sunday, Jan. 6.

The Baptist Sunday School met and elected the following officers for the coming year: Supt., Harley Williamson; asst. supt., J. A. Fox; secretary, E. H. Lazell; treasurer, Ellis Lazell; librarian, Grace Fox; assistant librarian, Olive Fox; organist, Bernice Fox, assistant organist, Delphia Lowe.

ORANGE

Mr and Mrs. Charles Richmond and daughter, Lillian, of Akron, visited the latter part of the week with Mrs Maggie Richmond and family and E. W. Geese and family.

Jesse Bonde and family of Bakersville spent Xmas with Sam Felver and family.

George Davis and family and Mrs Maggie Richmond and family spent Wednesday evening at the home of H. F. Davis

Ike Norris, Jr., of Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Virginia Ellis of Newcomerstown, spent a few days with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Norris

Mrs. George Chadwick and son, returned to their home in East Liverpool Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Miss Mattie West.

Miss Helen Darsey of Newcomerstown visited over Sunday with Gladys Smith

Joseph Ogle of Cooperdale spent the week end with Jim Ogle and family

Miss Elva Davis and John Davis spent Saturday and Sunday with John Davis and wife of Fresno

Robert Lathem of West Lafayette spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Croy.

Mrs. Edward Richmond and daughter Ruth, of Newcomerstown, spent Thursday with Mrs. Maggie Richmond and family.

Ernest Novis was in Lafayette on business Saturday evening.

F. E. Huff, Jesse Baker and Frank Norris were in Coshocton Saturday.

William Emerson left for Akron last week where he has employment.

Harry Jones of Lafayette visited over Sunday with Sam Criswell and family.

BARNES

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Boyd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and family, and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Boyd took dinner with L. R Boyd and family

Butchering is nearly all done in this neighborhood.

Wash Machwart, of Wooster, spent a few days with his brother, J. M Machwart, the past week

The G. T Machwart coal mine is working now, we hope we will be able to get plenty of coal as it takes coal these winter days.

The Amity Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. H. S. Steffe Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918.

Ray Steffe, of Canton, is spending a week with his parents

Chasles Hartsock delivered a horse to Boyd and Lorenz, Coshocton, Saturday

The Christmas entertainment at Amity was well attended Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Klein, Marie, Mildred and Anna Klein; Mr. and Mrs Frank Hamilton, Mr and Mrs. Guy Hamilton took dinner Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Ebervine.

CENTER VALLEY

Benjamin Renes of Coshocton, was the guest of his grand father, J. G. Deeds last week.

Mrs. Lemuel Welkes and son Walter were in Coshocton on business Monday.

Miss Beatrice Tumblin, of Coshocton, spent a few days as the guest of her brother, Basil.

Mr. and Mrs. John Criswell, of Plainfield, spent the latter part of the week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wilson

Our teacher, Miss Myrtle Slusser is spending the holidays with her parents in Paulding county.

Alex Smith moved his family from Zanesville to the Fannie Smith farm.

Mr and Mrs. John McGiffin, Mr and Mrs. Earl Atreasur were the guests of Thomas Treasure and family recently.

W. J. Calhoun, wife and son Walter, made a business trip to Newcomerstown Friday

R. T. Long was the guest of J. H. Roland and family Saturday.

H. D. Calhoun, who has been attending school at Delaware, O., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs. W. J Calhoun.

J. G Deeds is on the sick list.

BARNES

Mr and Mrs. Adam Huff and children, of Fresno, spent the past week with Mrs. Charles Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eberwine entertained at dinner Christmas day, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs Frank Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Klein and daughters, Marie, Mildred and Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warren and William, Charles, Fred and Clara Warren spent Christmas day with Dan Overnolt and family of near Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and children, Nellie and Forrest, took dinner Friday with Bert Boy an family

Mrs. Earl Kissner and daughters Ruth and Dorman, of Coshocton, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McCormick.

Mr and Mrs. Leg Boyd entertained at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boyd and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams and children, Mrs. Amanda Boyd and Emma Boyd.

Ray Steffe, of Canton, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Seymore Steffe.

W. H. Loren, of West Lafayette, was thru here buying horses, Thursday.

The Amity Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Seymore Steffe, Thursday Jan. 10th, at 1:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Labbie Mizer, of Coshocton, spent a few days with Homer Turner and family

HELMICK

Miss Delpha Lane, Emma and Bessie Lewis have returned to their homes after spending a week with friends and relatives at Paint Valley.

Mrs. Criss Layland spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lavina Mullet.

Miss Lena Miller is on the sick list.

Mrs Clifford Willard is spending a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs Jess Lewis

Mr. and Mrs Fren Myers and family Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Reed and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bucklew and children, Mrs. Christopher Gamertsfelder and Miss Mary Gamertsfelder and Howard Gamertsfelder spent Tuesday with James Bucklew.

Henry Markley is somewhat improved at this writing.

Ira Reed took supper with Mr and Mrs Jess Lewis and family Saturday evening

Hamilton Mizer called on Stanton Reed Saturday evening

Mr and Mrs. Isaac Lauer spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. John Endsley

The Christmas entertainment at Helmick was well attended Sunday.

I. A Fox made a business trip to Helmick Saturday evening

Vern Casey spent Saturday in Millersburg

Seventy or more people of this vicinity have joined the Red Cross

Mathen Fox and daughter, Ethel made a business trip to Millersburg Friday.

A series of meetings will begin at this place January 13

SUGAR IS RATIONED

LONDON, JAN 2.—England's first experience with compulsory rationing was had today with sugar. No person could obtain supplies except by card

Baron Rhondda, the food controller is expected soon to issue an order for a meatless day. It is understood that a comprehensive plan for alleviation of conditions among the poor, who have been compelled to stand in line for hours waiting for supplies, will be in full swing before the new year is far advanced. The food ministry has been working for months on the plan.

With the seizure of margarine last week and the introduction of the sugar card system today, the ones of waiting persons in the London district dwindled. The allowance of margarine is four ounces per capita weekly, and of sugar, half a pound. Other measures may be summarized as follows

Potatoes to be used in the manufacture of bread to economize in the consumption of cereals.

No calves or heifers to be killed, and the sale of veal and lamb to be prohibited

The sale of ice cream and water ices to be forbidden.

Curers of bacon and ham to make returns of their output not later than January 10

Believe in "Safety First."

It is no uncommon thing for large corporations to spend $25,000 a year just for salaries and office expense of a safety department. Generally, there are a number of inspectors who spend their entire time going from one point to another, watching for danger spots either in the location of machinery or in the constantly shifting piles of supplies.

City subscribers should insist on a receipt from the carrier.

GRANGE

MOHAWK GRANGE.

At the next regular meeting of Mohawk grange January 5th, the installation of officers will take place and the following program given:

Song .... Keep the Home Fires Burning

Reading, The Kid Has Gone to the Colors .... Myrtle Bucklew

Recitation .. .. Mrs. Dollie Darr

Piano Duet .... Allison and Carrol Barrett

Select your own work ... Elsie Moore

An Appeal to the American Farmer .. .. Don Darr

Refreshments served. Grangers invited

Woman Makes the Home.

A man may build a palace, but he can never make it a home. The spirituality and love of a woman alone can accomplish this.—Exchange.

EMPEY'S OVER THE TOP

Begins Monday, January 7th

Sergt. Arthur Guy Empey's story, "Over the Top," tells you what your soldier boy will experience when he fights for home and country.

Sergt. Empey is a typical American boy who entered the British army as a private when the Lusitania was sunk and recently came out a sergeant, being discharged from service on account of wounds received in going "Over the Top." No other writer has given such a true and understandable picture of life on the French front.

When Sergt. Empey lectured in Pittsburgh, Carnegie Hall was filled to overflowing with an audience that hung breathless on his every word. In his story, "Over the Top," he holds his readers the same way.

At a soldiers' tobacco fund concert in Pittsburgh, an autographed copy of this story was sold for $2,000 and other similar copies brought from $50 to $500 each. No matter what else may be written about the war, the Empey story will always be a classic of an American soldier in the trenches

In this connection it must be noted that there are many illegitimate efforts to trade on the name and popularity of "Over the Top." Thus we hear of "Over the Top With Tommy Atkins," "Over the Top With the Fighters in Flanders," etc. The wonderful success of Empey's work has inspired a musical comedy, a vaudeville sketch and a popular song—all entitled "Over the Top," while the phrase "Over the Top," is being used in all sorts of other ways to attract attention. But the real, only and original "Over the Top," the one that will charm, instruct and enthrall you, is the personal recital of Sergt. Arthur Guy Empey's adventures.

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CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

For Bilious Troubles

That heavy headache, torpid liver, sick stomach, bitter taste in mouth, furred tongue, dull eyes and muddy skin, all come from a poor supply of bile. These unhealthy conditions are promptly corrected by

BEECHAM'S PILLS

which stimulate the liver, regulate the flow of bile, sweeten the stomach, and renew healthy bowel action. A household remedy approved by sixty years of public service. For every-day illnesses, Beecham's Pills

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Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

MAKE THE NEW YEAR HAPPY

for your eyes. Come and have them expertly examined for the new glasses they need so badly. Remember that with each year your eyes grow older while your glasses remain the same. If you have had your present pair two years or more your eyes need a New Year present at once.

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COSHOCTON, OHIO

Doubt Cannot Exist.

Investigation Will only Strengthen the Proof We Give in Coshocton.

How can doubt exist in the face of such evidence? Read here the endorsement of a representative citizen of Coshocton.

Hugh Gamble, city auditor, 663 Elm St., says: "I was in such bad shape with my back I could hardly get down stairs. I thot I had rheumatic pains, but I had never been troubled in that way before. I had severe catches in my right leg and could hardly move at times. I was restless at night on account of an ache in the small of my back. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Frew's Drug Store, soon removed the rheumatic twinges and cured me. I always keep Doan's Kidney Pills on hand now, altho I haven't been bothered since they cured me."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

DAD!

Enough Christmas cash—did you have it?—for all the little things that give joy to your little ones. Determine you'll have more money in 1918—Join

A Fat Stocking Puts Joy Into Kiddies Hearts

Our Christmas Thrift Club

Costs you nothing—instead we give you interest. Scores have shown their wisdom and foresight by joining. Number yourself among them. Ask or write for handsome circular and folder which give all details and answer your questions.

Coshocton National Bank

Cuticura Treatment For Dandruff and

Falling Hair Is Really Wonderful

On retiring rub spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. This cleanses the scalp of dandruff and promotes hair health.

Sample Each Free by Mail

With 32-p. book on the skin. Address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. 11F, Boston." Sold everywhere.

CONSTIPATION

Is the big trouble in every serious sickness—causing depression of spirits, irritability, nervousness, imperfect vision, loss of memory, poor sleep, loss of appetite, etc.—stop it with a regular course of

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS

They act promptly and freely, but gently, thoroughly cleansing the bowels, comforting the stomach, stimulating the liver. A sure cure for indigestion, headache, biliousness, heartburn, flatulency. Purely vegetable. Plain or Sugar Coated.

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LOST AND FOUND

HEAVY WOOL HORSE BLANKET, new—Lost Monday evening between Coshocton and the Knowels farm, on the Warsaw road. Return to this office or to J. C. Bower, Warsaw.

GAUNTLET GLOVE, lost, for right hand; muskrat fur and lined with curduroy; near Curry Drug Store. Leave at Mayor's Office. Reward. S. C. Stutzman.

AUTO TAIL LIGHT with number 96789 attached, lost between B. W Boyds' and Coshocton on Chill road, Thursday, Dec. 27. Finder notify B. W. Boyd, R. F. D. 3. Bell phone 46-R-6 West Lafayette.

LOST—Pair silk lined kid gloves, child's size, Saturday night. Finder please return to Tribune office.

TIRE CHAIN, lost Saturday. Reward for return to L. B. Barcroft Grocery

DARK BROWN SET FURS, lost between 14th Street and Glass Co. Office. Call 733 Bell Phone. Reward.

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Young man for a business, one that can do clerical work preferred. Chance for an advancement. Address own hand writing. Box C, Tribune Office.

MARRIED MAN with small family wanted to work on farm. Good house on Main road. Address Box 695 care of Tribune Office.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

LAUNDRESS WANTED, also seamstress, to come to house. Mrs. E. C. DeHart, 330 South Fourth St.

HOUSEKEEPER, wanted for family of two. Middle aged German preferred. Light work, no washing or ironing. Good home for right person. Katherine Beutenmiller, 215 South Second St.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED, position as housekeeper. Home in country preferred. Children not objected to. Inquire Kate Barker, 207 S. Second St.

WANTED TO BUY

TRAPPERS and Fur Buyers—We want your raw furs, hides and pelts this season. We are at all times in position to give the very highest cash prices. See us before selling John D. Stevenson, at Stevenson's Grocery, N. 3d st. Opp. Courthouse.

TO BUY, wanted—Fat hogs and all kinds of live stock. Call Citz. phone 401-B. W. H. Dickey.

ROOMS AND BOARDING

TWO DOWNSTAIRS, for rent, for light housekeeping. Inquire 148 South Second St. Bell phone 161.

FOUR LARGE ROOMS for rent Water and gas. Good warm house. Rent cheap. Wm. Maxwell, 214 Chestnut Street.

NORTH EIGHTH ST., No. 235—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern conveniences. Mrs. McVey, 235 North Eighth St. Citz. phone 705-A.

THREE ROOM MODERN APARTMENT, for rent in Heskett brick residence. Hot water heat. Inquire 539 Cambridge St., Citizen's phone 608.

GOOD OFFICE ROOMS for rent; in the Meek Building, formerly occupied by The Times-Age Company. These rooms are finely located in the heart of the business district and are the most desirable rooms now available down town for either business or professional purposes. Apply at Tribune office.

Army Orders.

Sergeant-Major — "Now, Private Smith, you know very well none but officers and noncommissioned officers are allowed to walk across the grass." Private Smith—"But, Sergeant-major, I've Captain Graham's verbal orders to—" Sergeant-Major—"None o' that, sir. Show me the captain's verbal orders. Show 'em to me, sir."—Liverpool Post.

City subscribers should insist on a receipt from the carrier.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

COAL STOVE, for sale, in first-class condition. Inquire 735 Pine St.

CUSTOM COAL, lump and run-of-mine. Phone your order, we deliver. Harrison Elson, Old Homestead Saloon. Bell phone 414; Citz. phone 586-A.

DRESSED HOGS for sale. Will butcher Thursday, Jan. 3rd. Dan C. Meek Citizen's phone 831-A, 513-B, 252.

CALF, for sale. Inquire at Hall's Dairy Farm. Citizens phone 730-B.

SEWING MACHINES—1 second-hand drop head, $12.50; 1 old style White, $6.00; 1 old style Singer, $5.00. Come in and see these machines if you are looking for a bargain. White Sewing Machine Co., 228 North Third St.

FARMS FOR SALE

A THIRTEEN ACRE FARM, for sale—3-4 miles N. W. of Conesville with good five roomed house with all out buildings in good shape. Good orchard and all new fence. Terms: 1-4 cash and rest as rent if sold at once. One set of work harness, one set of buggy harness and one good buggy. For further information, call J. C. Glosser, Conesville, O. Bell phone 27-R-4.

FARM FOR SALE—Located in Jackson township, underlaid with coal. All kinds of fruit, old buildings. Ed. Uffner or W. H. Roberts, Route 5.

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DAY AND NIGHT TAXI SERVICE — Two closed cars. All calls answered promptly. Country trips reasonable. Bell phone 210, Citz. phone 547. McConnell Motor Car Co., Third St. Garage, Coshocton, O.

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Call C. R. SPRAGUE.
Three cars running day or night. City calls prompt. County trips reasonable. Bell phone 195; Citz. 789-A

SPECIAL NOTICES

DANCE
Private Lessons By Appointment
SHEPLER'S ACADEMY
In The Triune Bldg. Citz. Phone 197.

P. H. C. will meet Wednesday, Jan. 2, instead of Tuesday. Important business.
By Order of President.

FOR RENT, Good barn, room for five head of horses. Good shed room. Inquire John Mitchell, 124 Chestnut Street, Coshocton, O.

FARMS FOR RENT

FARM, for rent—River bottom and second bottom farm. Good buildings silo, etc. Possession April. H. T Barron, 222 N. 6th St. Citizens phone 802-A

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FIVE ROOM HOUSE, for rent with bath, at 929 W. Orchard St. Inquire 147 S. 2nd St.

PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC HORSE SALE
Thursday, January 10, 1918
John M. Adams' Sale Barn

I will hold my first sale on this date. Will accept horses to sell on commission on same conditions as former years except a charge will be made for feed. Horses will be numbered as they arrive at barn and sold in order numbered. You will take no risk in bringing in your horses if sound, with some flesh, and particularly suited for army, or big cheap workers.

John M. Adams,
Citizens Phone 54, Coshocton, O.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Office Of
The Comptroller Of The Currency
WASHINGTON, Dec. 6, 1917.

WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Coshocton National Bank" in the city of Coshocton in the County of Coshocton and State of Ohio, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas P. Kane, Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Coshocton National Bank" in the city of Coshocton in the County of Coshocton and State of Ohio is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business, on December 6, 1937.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and Seal of office this sixth day of December, 1917.

T. P. KANE,
Acting Comptroller of the Currency.

Charter No 5103.
Extension No. 3405.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Levi Brown, residing at Harvey, Ill Harry Walker, residing at Breckenridge, Okla, Frank Brown, residing at Van Orin, Ill, Clifford Hamilton, residing at Van Orin, Ill., Phoebe Hamilton, residing at Van Orin, Ill., Glenn Hamilton, residing at Van Orin, Ill., Jesse Hamilton, residing at Van Orin, Ill, O. J. Heiman, residing at Van Orin, Ill., I. W. Norman, residing at Van Meteor, Ill., Charles F. Brown and Blanche Brown, residing at Washington, D. C., Elizabeth Walker, Carrie Hamilton, J. F. Hamilton, Joseph Norman, Charles Norman, Winnie Norman, Hattie Heiman, Clarence Norman, Norwood Norman, Mels Engdal, Earl Norman, Isaac Norman, Rachel Brown, Lottie Smith, Sankey Smith, Isabelle Brown, John Brown, Frank Brown, Leah Brown, Phoebe Brown, Dollie Brown, Myrtle Brown, Carrie Brown, Fletcher Hamilton, Glenn Hamilton, Hattie Brown, Cliff Hamilton, Phoebe Hamilton, Jesse Hamilton, Joel Francis Brown, John Quincy Brown, Ada Grace Brown, Lydia Brown McClure, Harry Walker, E. G. Browell, Rachel Stonehocker, Dollie Browell, Myrtle Engdal, Mary Gonser, Gwynne Browell, Paul Lowry Brown, Henry A. Brown and Anna Brown, Elva Kiefaber and Fred Kiefaber, and William McClure, whose places of residence are unknown, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Lydia Brown McClure, the unknown heirs and devisees of Elizabeth Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees of Rachel Stonehocker, the unknown heirs and devisees of David Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees of Jonas Brown, Sr., the unknown heirs and devisees of Joel Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees of Hattie Smith, the unknown heirs and devisees of Eliza Powell, the unknown heirs and devisees of Leah Norman, the unknown heirs and devisees of Mary Gonser, the unknown heirs and devisees of John Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees Henry Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees of Levi Brown, the unknown heirs and devisees of Elizabeth Walker, the unknown heirs and devisees of Lean Adams, the unknown heirs and devisees of Carrie Hamilton, the unknown heirs and devisees of William Brown, and the unknown heirs and devisees of Lizzie Brown, will take notice that on the 7th day of November, 1917, William S. Merrell, as plaintiff, filed his certain petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Coshocton County, Ohio, against the above named persons as defendants, and other defendants, and then and there and thereby commenced an action against them in said court; the object and prayer of said petition is that said defendants, and each of them, be required to answer, setting up any claim they may have in the real estate described herein, and that their claims be adjudged null and void, and that the title of the plaintiff in and to said real estate be quieted against said defendants, and each and all of them, and that the plaintiff be granted such other and further relief as is proper in the premises, which said real estate is described as follows: situated in the Township of White Eyes, in the County of Coshocton, and State of Ohio, and being the southwest quarter of section thirteen (13), in range five, (5), and township six (6), United States Military Lands, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, more or less.

Said defendants and each of them are required to answer on or before the 26th day of January, 1918, or judgment will be taken against them as prayed for.

(Signed)
WILLIAM S. MERRELL.
Nov. 28, Dec. 5-12-19-26, Jan. 2-9

Try an Ad in the classified column of The Tribune.

JUST A MINUTE

CLEVELAND—Because of congested mail conditions policemen will distribute food conservation "dodgers" sent out by the government

CLEVELAND—At a big celebration tonight members of the Moose Lodge will burn at $106,000 mortgage on their building.

The mortgage has been paid off

CLEVELAND—Four persons were injured by the same car when it dashed around a corner and caught them standing on the track. This is a local record for one accident in which one car was involved.

AKRON—Sport writers today generally gave Bryan Downey a shade over Johnny Griffiths, of Akron, in their twelve-round go here New Years day. Griffiths came back strong in the final frame after taking severe punishment thruout the remainder of the bout.

COLUMBUS—Fifteen minutes after his $1,600 insurance became void because of failure to pay a premium, K. N. Walsh was struck and killed by a railway engine.

TOLEDO—Mrs. Felix Schmidt, 23, Agenes Meinin, 10, and Wm. Meinin, 8, were burned to death when trapped in their rooms by a fire starting from Christmas tree candle.

CLEVELAND—A new system, whereby the city will deposit its funds in several different banks instead of in one will enable the city to draw 1.96 percent interest.

PIQUA—Frank B. Hamilton, the city's first socialist mayor, has taken office.

MT. VERNON—Starting a precedent in Ohio banks of this city will permit free use of safety deposit boxes for holders of war savings certificates.

COLUMBUS — The purchase by Ohioans of $106,000,000 worth of war savings certificates is a privilege which be assumed cheerfully and promptly, says Gov. Cox in his new year's message.

CINCINNATI—John Holmes, United States soldier, home on a furlough, shot and killed his wife, 55 and his stepson, John Hambrock, 30.

CINCINNATI—Herman Schneider, dean of the engineering college, University of Cincinnati, has been appointed director of individual service, ordnance department.

Ninnich Now In Fine Form

William Ninnich, local wrestler, who meets Cody Fleming, the Michigan wildcat at the Sixth street theatre Friday evening, January 4, is fast getting into shap for the match.

Ninnich is training with a number of local huskies in his gymnasium in the Tribune building every day and is doing a bit of road work for the improvement of his wind eve y day despite the adverse weather conditions.

Two local men whose names will be announced later are also training every day in preparation for the semi-finals to be staged before the big bout Friday evening.

When interviewed by a reporter Wednesday, Ninnich stated that he was getting into good shape and that he would be ready fo the Michigan wonder by the time that he arrives in Coshocton. "We will send him back to Michigan tamed" is big Bill's only statement concerning the match.

The attendance of ladies and gentlemen only is desired at the match and ladies are especially invited to attend this demonstration of the most manly of all sports.

Avoid Brilliant Lights.

If you have a sense of faulty vision it is a natural inclination to seek a very strong light by which to read or study. This simply adds to the eyestrain. The best light is an indirect, diffused light of sufficient strength to make the letters on the page stand out in uniform distinctness. Avoid the brilliant reflection from metallic objects that may be on the desk.

Buckeye Has No Value.

The leaves of the buckeye tree are poisonous to animals that sometimes eat them in the spring and the fruit is not edible, and has no medicinal qualities nor commercial value.

Try a Tribune Want Ad.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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FINANCIAL LETTER

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both foolish and immoral.

Hope for the Future

As we close the year the question can hardly be avoided, what has brought this holocaust of misery and hate into the world? Nothing but a soulless, ruthless autocracy, bent upon trampling over the liberties of the entire world simply to accomplish its own tyrannical selfish ends. The result is a veritable day of judgment against the worship of force and egoism which are the basic ideals of Prussianism. Fortunately these ideals are so hostile to human nature and so incompatible with the modern sense of liberty that they must and will be crushed; the uprising of the whole civilized world foreboding their extinction.

Concerning the future the immediate outlook appears dark; because, while confident of victory, the price has not been paid and cannot be paid until militarism has been destroyed. It may be that peace will come sooner than expected, an event for which the country can devoutly pray. Come it will eventually; and out of the travail and pain thru which we are now laboring a new and better world will be born. There will still be unrest and strife; but bloodshed will cease, hatred will subside, more human and more ethical standards of conduct will prevail; and for the new generations to come we may hope for an era of peace and good will growing out of this life and death struggle between democracy and autocracy. Hope should be the keynote of the new year.

HENRY CLEWS.

Postscript—The proclamation of President Wilson taking over control of the railroads is one of the most important domestic events of the war. It arrests at a stroke the undercurrent of distrust, which was undermining railroad credit, and threatened the entire financial fabric. It assures fair play to the owners, the users and the workers on the railroads, and will prevent any one of these divisions unduly imposing their will upon others. It will also assure better transportation, which is necessary to win the war, and allow the roads compensation in some form for increased expenses. A radical change for the better is promised American railroads.

VAN WERT—Fire believed of incendiary origin destroyed the grain elevator of S. D. Brad with $30,000 loss.

Start Tomorrow and Keep It Up Every Morning

Get in the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

We're not here long, so let's make our stay agreeable. Let us live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, and look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet, how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning an dflushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poinonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splended appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach troubles; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of inside-bathing before breakfast.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

The markets carried in this column and on page five daily are the closing quotations each day, and the same as carried in the city papers of the following morning. This excellent service is made possible to Tribune and Times-Age readers by the leased telegraph wire in operation at this plant.

PITTSBURGH

PITTSBURG, JAN. 2.—CATTLE—Supply light. Market steady.

Choice	$12.50@13.25
Prime	12.50@13.25
Good	11.25@11.75
Tidy Butchers	10.25@10.50
Fair	9.00@ 9.50
Common	8.50@10.00
Common to Good Fat Bulls	7.00@ 9.50
Common to Good Fat Cows	8.50@ 9.50
Heifers	9.75@10.50
Fresh Cows and Springers	60.00@90.00
Veal Calves	11.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply light. Market, Sheep steady, Lambs 10c up

Prime Wethers	$12.50
Good Mixed	9.75@10.75
Fair Mixed	8.25@ 9.25
Culls and Common	5.00@ 7.00
Spring Lambs	17.50

HOGS—Receipts, 25 double decks. Market lower.

Prime Heavy Hogs	$17.00@ 17.10
Mediums	17.10@17.15
Heavy Yorkers	17.10@17.15
Light Yorkers	17.00@17.15
Pigs	16.25@16.90
Roughs	14.00@16.00
Stags	14.00@16.00

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, JAN. 2.—CATTLE—Receipts, 250. Market active.

CALVES—Receipts, 200. Market steady.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 200. Market steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 2500. Market active. 15@20c up.

Yorkers	$16.80
Mixed	16.80
Heavies	16.85
Mediums	16.85
Pigs	16.75
Roughs	15.75
Stags	14.75

Stock Market

NEW YORK, JAN. 2—The Motor Issues attracted attention at the opening of the stock market today. Gen. Motors made an advance of 4¼ to 109 and Maxwell Motors rose 1½ to 26½ Studebaker advanced 1 to 50½ and Willys Overland rose above 21.

The steel stocks were strong, U. S Steel rising 7-8 to 91 3-4 and Beth B rose 1 3-8 to 76½. Amn Car Foundry advanced 1 to 70½. Marine Pfd advanced over one point to 84½ and Atlantic Gulf gained 2 3-8 to 100.

Marine common rose 2 to 23½, Anaconda rose 3-4 to 62 3-8 and Amn Smelting 1¼ to 80. Utah advanced 3-4 to 82¼. Industrial Alcohol was up 1 7-8 to 118.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, JAN. 2.—Corn opened 3-8 lower. Oats 5-8 lower. Provisions were uneven at the opening. Opening:

Corn—May, 1.24 3-8; Jan, 1 26 3-8.
Oats—Jan., 78; May, 75 7-8.
No Pork or Ribs.
Lard—May, 24.32.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

CLEVELAND, JAN. 2.—Butter—Creamery extra, 51½@53; Prints, 53@½; Firsts, 47½@48; Seconds 43½@44½; Packing Stock, 34@35.

Eggs—First, 53; Seconds, 37½; Storage, 41@42.

Live Poultry—Chickens, 24@28; Turkeys, 30@34; Young Ducks, 28@32 Young Geese, 24@28.

Potatoes 2.00@2.25 per 100 lbs.

TAXI CAB WAR IS ON AT OHIO CAMP

CAMP SHERMAN, JAN 2—The "taxi cab war" was on in full blast today. More than 350 taxi owners, disgruntled at the development whereby a Clevelander, T. J. Fay, was given the concession, or monopoly of operating autos between the camp and Chillicothe, planned to carry their fight to Maj. Gen. Glenn and to Secretary of War Baker, if necessary

During last night's heavy snow storm 2,000 persons who attended a dance at the Red Cross Community House and 4,000 soldiers returning from new year's furloughs treaded thru deep snow or commandeered autos to reach their homes or barracks, a distance of 3 miles. Only 15 regular taxis were operating.

Fay was granted the concession by Lieut. Col H. B Myers. It provides that each taxi driver pay Fay $10 for a tag permitting entrance to the camp, and that 25 per cent of all receipts be turned over to Fay, who has agreed to give the Red Cross and post exchanges each 7 1-2 per cent of the receipts Fay increased the one-way fare from Camp to the city from 25 to 50 cents and doubled the after midnight fare, which was 50 cents one way. The soldiers sided with the taxi drivers because they do not like the fare boost. Protesting taxi owners have collected $7,000 to retain attorneys to take appeal to Glenn today. Hundreds of telegrams were sent to Secretary Baker. Several taxi drivers who took out cards from Fay were damaged last night.

Local Quotations

Local Grain and Feed

(Corrected by Hanley Milling Co.)

We are paying today:

	Per 100 lbs.	Per Bu
Wheat	$3.50	2.10
Corn	1.70	1.25
Oats	2.00	.60

We are selling retail today:

Flour, per bbl.	$12.40
Flour, per 1-4 bbl.	3.10
Flour, per 1-8 bbl.	1.55
Meal, yellow, bolted, per cwt.	5.50
Bran, in purchasers' bags	2.00
Middlings, in purchasers' bags	2.00
Screenings	2.00
Oats	.75
Chops	3.80
Cracked corn	5.00
Oil meal	3.25
A-No. 1 Salt, bbl.	2.00
Tankage	5.10
Corn	1.50

Poultry

(Corrected by Charles E. Lorens)

Wholesale

Chickens, light	$ .20
Chickens, heavy	.20
Ducks, colored	.18
Ducks, white	.20
Geese	.20
Turkeys	.25
Roosters	.12

Retail

Chickens	$ .24
Geese	.23
Turkeys, alive	.30
Ducks	.24

SEED MARKET

(Corrected by Charles E. Lorens)

Selling Price

Alfalfa	$13.00
Orchard grass	3.00
Mammoth clover	15.00
Medium	15.00
Alsike	14.50
White Sweet	12.00
Yellow Sweet	6.00
Timothy	3.75
Soy beans	4.85
Rape Seed per lb.	.16

THOMSON FEED STORE

Buying Price

Straw (new)	$ 8.00
Loose hay (new)	20.00
Bailed hay	23.00

Selling Price

Salt, per bbl.	2.00
Timothy	3.75

Produce

(Corrected daily by Overholt & Craig grocery).

Butter—Cash	$ .40
Butter—Trade	.44
Eggs	.53
Country lard	.25
Potatoes	1.25

Retail Prices

Butter	$ .48
Creamery butter	.54
Eggs	.53
Lard	.34
Honey, per lb.	.25
Sugar, per lb.	.10
Onions, lb.	.08
Potatoes, per peck	.40

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Clarence Craig, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice on the 28th day of November, A.D., 1917, Helen Craig filed her petition against him in the Probate Court of Coshocton County, Ohio, praying that she be divorced from him, that she be decreed the custody of their child and for such other relief as may be proper. Said case will be for hearing on and after the 9th day of January, 1917, and he is required to answer on or before that date.

HELEN CRAIG.

J. B. SHEPLER,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Nov. 25, Dec. 5-12-19-26, Jan. 2-9

ANNUAL MEETING
COSHOCTON NATIONAL BANK.
Dec. 10, 1917.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of Directors and any other business properly coming before the meeting, will be held at the bank rooms on Tuesday, January 8th at 10:00 A. M.

T. L. MONTGOMERY,
Cashier.

Dec. 11, 18, 25; Jan. 2.

APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Estate of Minnie B Roberts, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Frank L. Reed has been appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of Minnie B. Roberts, deceased, late of Coshocton County, Ohio. December 3rd, 1917

MILO C. ELY,
Probate Judge.

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With a determination to sell still more merchandise and give even greater values for less money we will begin the New Year with a timely sale of Winter Garments at wonderful clearance prices.

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$15.00 Coats will be...	$11.25	$25.00 Coats will be...	$18.75
$16.50 Coats will be...	12.25	$30.00 Coats will be...	22.50
$18.50 Coats will be...	13.85	$35.00 Coats will be...	26.25
$20.00 Coats will be...	14.85	$37.50 Coats will be	28.15
$22.50 Coats will be...	17.85	$45.00 Coats will be...	33.75

Make your selection this week from many of the season's choicest models. Handsome garments, beautifully trimmed are here for your approval.

BUY YOUR WINTER SUIT NOW

The latest winter styles, newest materials and elegantly lined, await you. These at greatly reduced prices for immediate sale. Thus affording you the opportunity of viewing one or more of these handsome suits.

$15.00 Suits will be...	$ 9.85	$27.50 Suits will be...	$18.75
$19.75 Suits will be...	13.15	$30.00 Suits will be...	19.85
$22.50 Suits will be...	15.00	$32.50 Suits will be...	21.65
$25.00 Suits will be...	16.65	$35.00 Suits will be...	23.35

BUY FURS NOW

Our entire stock (absolutely nothing reserved) to be sold this week at

HALF PRICE

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$3.95 Will Buy Some of the PRETTIEST BLOUSES

You ever saw; good, strong and serviceable Georgette, Crepe de Chine, etc., in most any desirable shade. Dainty laces and frills help make these $5.00 and $5.95 Blouses wonderful values at $3.95

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Begin the new year right. Buy your merchandise at this store, save the difference and purchase these thrift stamps.

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A large sum of money is awaiting its owners at the office of county clerk for court fees during the year 1917. The clerk of courts is compelled to hold the fees for the period of one year and is then instructed to pay them to the persons to whom they are due. If your name is on the following list call at the clerk's office at the court house and receive payment of the amount due you. All fees that are not called for within thirty days will go to the county treasury.

NAME	AMOUNT
John Maston	$3.60
Joe Hardesty	3.00
Floyd Parrish	2.00
W. A. Dickerson	3.30
George Maston	3.00
Ella Norris	2.00
Blanche Crowthers	2.80
W. A. Mizer	1.50
J. T. West	1.00
Wilson Bros.	.85
Wm. Hizer	1.50
Loretta Baker	2.00
Frank Berry	2.00
Mart Mizer	9.50
James Renfrew	5.80
J. W. Dillon	6.20
Eugene Lawrence	3.00
Cleon McNabb	3.40
Bane Lease	3.75
William Ringwalt	69.02
Mrs. B. A. Bantum	.25
N. E. Bantum	.25
R. S. Phillips	1.70
George Yates	1.00
Garfield Severns	1.00
William Urban	1.70
W. D. Richardson	1.00
Lewis Miller	1.20
Henry H. Emerson	3.21
Henry H. Emerson	7.51
R. S. Harkenbark	1.70
H. K. Brady	5.00
Mrs. Bertha Sines	2.50
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T. M. Tunkle	7.00
Mrs. F. D. Bannell	7.00
Wm. J. Keifer	8.00
J. H. Dubn	4.50
C. V. Sines	.75
Ester H. Blake	1.00
Clarence Carter	1.00
Lewis Stiner	1.20
Wm. Clough	1.00
E. M. Roderick	.75
Clifford Miller	.70
A. E. Reichley	1.20
Willard J. West	2.00
Thomas McConnell	1.00
Edward Frock	1.00
Rev. Chas. Burkhart	1.00
W. S. Parks	2.00
J. S. Duling	2.00
John Patrick	3.00
Margaret Love	2.40
S. F. Richcreek	1.00
David H. Fisher	.35
Mike Abood	1.00
Charles Smith	1.00
H. H. Rodgers	4.50
W. H. Ault	1.00
C. B. Baker	1.00
C. L. Tilton	1.00
T. N. Gray	1.00
G. A. Mints	1.00
J. J. Harrold	1.00
E. H. Waller	1.00
N. E. Swihart	1.00
Mrs. N. E. Swihart	.75
W. H. Smith	1.00
F. M. Hardesty	1.00
Henry Hess	.25
J. K. Green	.25
C. A. Van Dusen	1.20
E. P. Lapp	1.70
F. J. Robinson	.50
Mrs. Clayton	1.00
Edward Bowers	1.00
Dr. W. H. Keenan	1.00

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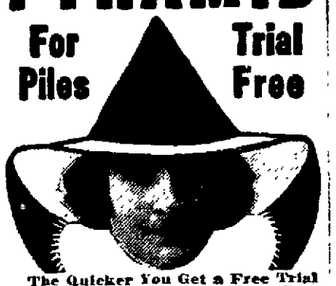

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Kindly send me a Free sample of **Pyramid Pile Treatment,** in plain wrapper.

Name .....
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City ..... State.....

CAREFUL WHAT YOU SAY ABOUT FILM VAMPIRE

CHICAGO, JAN. 2.—Enter—after after weeks of fighting in the courts on a film—the heroine herself, Theda Bara who thru her attorney, P. P. Schwartz today announced she was going to sue Second Deputy Supt. of Police Funkhouser for $100,000.

The suit will charge Funkhouser, who is Chicago's movie censor, libelled the actress by declaring that in a certain film she didn't wear enough clothes and by making remarks uncomplimentary to her character.

Peace Plans Go Awry, Is Late Report

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—Peace negotiations between the Bolsheviki government and central powers have been broken off because of Germany's refusal to remove troops from Poland and Courland, according to a Petrograd dispatch printed in the Daily News today.

The correspondent said he got his information from a "reliable source" and that the Russian government is preparing to defend her western front against Germany and Austria.

The dispatch continued:

"Germany and Austria in their reply to the Russian proposals were more detailed than the statement given to the public. The Teutons insisted that German garrisons be maintained at Riga, Libau and elsewhere in Russia. The Russians refused and also refused to grant the central powers more time to consider the matter."

The Russian delegates left Brest Litovsk with words of sharp criticism for Germany's demand for a militaristic peace.

It is impossible to say how much credence is to be attached to the foregoing dispatch.

The German announcement on the peace negotiations admitted a disagreement over the question of removing troops from Russia and adjourned that the Russian envoys had left for Petrograd, but it said that the peace negotiations would be continued at a later date.

GENERAL PEACE OFFER COMING FROM TEUTONS

(International News Service)

PARIS, JAN. 2.—Germany is expected to make a general peace offer within ten days modifying the terms previously announced, said a dispatch from Berne today quoting the Munich Nachrichten as authority.

New York's New Mayor On The Job

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, JAN. 2.—New York's new mayor entered upon his duties today promptly at 9 o'clock, he rode to the City Hall from his home in Brooklyn in a street disdaining to use on the city's autos. Mayor Hylan announced that one of his first acts would be to confer with federal state and city food and fuel directors to try and help speed up plans for alleviating suffering thruout the city.

NORFOLK UNDER MARTIAL LAW; MANY ARRESTED

NORFOLK, VA., JAN. 2.—Twenty suspects were in custody of department of justice agents here this afternoon in connection with the devastating fire of yesterday, believed started by German agents. One arrest, that of W. C. Brewort, an unnaturalized German who was taken in his room at the Lorraine hotel. His captors said that maps of Norfolk, German literature and many clippings from German papers were found in his possession.

Two of the suspects already held are women, but their names and all information concerning them was carefully withheld.

Martial law is still in effect and hundreds of blue jackets are guarding the district in which the fires occurred.

TAXI PROBLEM AT C. SHERMAN STIRS UP MUSS

(International News Service)

CAMP SHERMAN, JAN. 2.—Division headquarters stood pat today on its taxi concession to T. J. Fay, of Cleveland, explaining that it intended to deal with one man on the transportation problem. Capt. C. B. King, aide to Maj. Gen. Glenn, said Fay would be given a fair chance to handle the problem.

Andy Waite, representing the disgruntled taxi owners, was enroute to Washington to lay the matter before Secretary of War Baker. Other taxi drivers showered President Wilson, Secretary Baker, Senator Pomerene, and their congressman with telegrams. Many chauffeurs were operating their cars free of charge to camp today, under guise of tourists, to hurt Fay's business.

BRITAIN PROBES CONSPIRACIES IN INDIA, IN SECRET

LONDON, JAN. 2.—A special commission, sitting at Delhi, has begun an investigation of the revolutionary conspiracies in India, according to a telegram from Bombay today. The investigation is being carried on in secret by five commissioners and one of its objects is to ascertain how far German influence was responsible for the plots. Some of the conspiracies are said to have been hatched in the United States.

Snow Plows Are Missing

A number of complaints have been overheard in the past few days from citizens who are "panning" the city administration because of the hibernation of the snowplows, which have cleared the sidewalks for pedestrians previous to this year.

A few minutes work with the plow saves hours of back-breaking labor in cleaning the streets with a shovel by hand. In many places walking is becoming difficult because of the accumulated snow of the past few weeks.

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live," but save something every year for use when comes the "rainy day" or the period of old age. The man of health and strength who does not do that, commits a serious wrong against himself and his family. Even tho his earning capacity be blow the average, that is no excuse for not saving some of it. There are but very few people who could not lay by at least ten percent of the yearly income. In the case of most people they should save much more than ten percent. Every person who has not already accumulated a competency should take a close account of his own age, health, earning capacity, financial situation and family obligations and figure out a definite portion of his income which he will lay by as savings, then make that a resolution and stick to it. In other words, everyone should cut according to his own cloth, not according to how much cloth some other fellow has or cuts.

The greatest hindrance to the saving habit is the credit system. Families that have a charge account at the stores not only pay higher prices usually than the cash buyer pays, but it opens the way also to the purchase of many things that are not needed. There is less of this when people pay as they go. In short, the credit system is the poor man's enemy. I should like to see the day when merchants will refuse to extend credit except in cases of distress or emergency.

The Thrift Stamp system recently established by the government is the greatest opportunity ever afforded for the poor man to start on the way which leads to "Easy street." As a result of it vast numbers of wage-earners will event-ally become "capitalists." In addition to patriotic reasons—which are so well understood that I need not repeat them here—there are abundant reasons of private benefit why all people, rich and poor alike, should avail themselves of the fine opportunity to earn interest on their savings by investing something every week of the year in War Savings Certificates or Trift Stamps.

Bolsheviki Ambassador To England Is Appointed

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—"Citizen" Litvinoff has been appointed Russian ambassador to England by Leon Trotzky Bolsheviki foreign minister, said a wireless dispatch from Petrograd today. The communication which was sent out by the Bolsheviki foreign office, demanded of all officials of the Russian government in England to turn over to Litvinoff their official documents and fund.

The Bolsheviki government has adopted the designation of "Citizen" after the custom adopted in France during the revolution. This is the first time it has been used in official proclamation, however.

NEW YEAR'S BABY

Only one New Year's day baby was reported in this city, it being a son born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thornsley of Orchard street. The child weighs eight pounds.

F. M. DAVIS BUYS STORE ON MAIN ST.

F. M. Davis, of Nelsonville, has purchased the entire stock of the local store formerly operated here by the National Woolen Mills and has already taken possession.

Dr. Davis will retain his interests in Nelsonville, but will move his family here and give his personal attention to the local store. He has had considerable experience in the merchandising business and regards the local store as offering an exceptional opportunity.

Coal Riots Break Out In N. York

NEW YORK, JAN. 2.—With snow and colder weather threatened, "coal riots" broke out in New York today. A mob of about 600 men, women and children attacked the coal yards of the Herman Borges Coal and Wood Co., crying: "We want coal and we will burn your plant if we don't get it."

A hurry call was sent for police reserves, but before they arrived the mob had fought its way to the bins and made off with about 30 tons of coal.

Many schools had to close down on account of the coal famine.

CLEVELAND MAYOR ASKS FOR SPECIAL ASSEMBLY SESSION

CLEVELAND, JAN. 2.—A plea for a special session of the legislature for the purpose of permitting cities in Ohio more latitude in financial matters will be made to Gov. Cox tomorrow by Mayor Davis and financial interest of Cleveland. The present laws, they will assert have caused shortage of funds and complicate municipal finance in every large city in the state.

SOLDIER FREEZES ON THE VENETIAN ALPS; LACK FOOD

ROME, JAN. 2—Many German and Austrian soldiers have been frozen to death in the bitter cold weather prevailing in the Venetian Alps.

Dispatches from the front today quoted prisoners as saying the deep snow is hindering transportation of supplies and that some of the troops holding positions between the Piave and Brent rivers were without food for days. This is borne by the fact that deserters said they were surrendering to escape death by starvation.

The weather in the mountains of the Asiago plateaus has reached 20 below zero and the snow is piled in drifts from 10 to 15 feet deep. The cold and snow has halted the Austro-German rush in the north but fighting has broken out again along the Lower Piave, where an attempt by the invaders to force a crossing was frustrated.

Hun Raiders Hurled Back By Tommies

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—An attempt by Germans to raid a British trench near Moycourt resulted in a pitched battle in which the Teutons were thrown back to their trenches. The details were given in the official statement issued by the war office today. The Germans attacks in three columns under the support of a strong bombardment. The British artillery silenced the German guns while the infantry went over the top attacking the Germans in the forefield.

In addition to severe losses inflicted on the Germans they lost numerous prisoners.

Other raids were repulsed south of Lens and north of Passchendaele.

MISS COTTOM QUITS RECORDER'S OFFICE

Miss Myrle Cottom, deputy county recorder under C. E. Cottom, discontinued her duties in that capacity Monday, and her place has been taken by Mrs. W. M. Carr, wife of the present recorder. Mrs. Carr has been learning her new duties ever since Mr. Carr took the office four months ago.

NORMAL COAL CONDITIONS IN WEEK PROMISED

WASHINGTON, JAN. 2—Coal conditions will be normal within a week. This was the belief expressed this afternoon by Secretary McAdoo following conference with members of his advisory board. The director general has telegraphed to all parts of the country to learn whether emergency measures are needed. He said the situation showed marked improvement today and that he believed great supplies would be moving within a few days.

Veteran Was Paroled On Jan. 2, 1863

Squire E. G. Abbott, of this city, has cause for remembering the second of January, 55 years ago, as on that day he was given a parole as a Confederate prisoner. He was taken prisoner at Murfreesboro, and was held by the Confederates for four days. He was then recaptured by the northern troops.

Squire Abbott was carrying the parole in his pocket today, and showing the relic to his friends.

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BIRTH NOTE

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Wilson, of Cambridge street, Wednesday morning.

EXPECT HEAVY SUB TOLL FOR THE WEEK

(International News Service)

LONDON, JAN. 2.—An intimation that the British shipping losses may show an increase this week was contained in the statement today that Germany is now making her greatest submarine drive.

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